

ISD Daily News

A little kindness from person to person is
better than a vast love of all mankind. – Richard Dehmel

Volume 3, Issue 109

Friday, February 1, 2002

Today's Activities

8:30	K. Martinez-Cruz
9:00	S. Cajlak
1:15	2 nd Grade Drama Performance in the Elementary Gym
2:30	A. Choate
5:00	Caancelled MS Swimming at Plainfield

Saturday's Activities for Homecoming

1:00	JV Boys Basketball against Illinois
3:00	HS Girls Basketball against Illinois
5:00	Varsity Boys Basketball against Illinois
	Half-time Crowning of Mr. And Miss Oriole

Upcoming Activities

February 2	HS Boys Basketball with Illinois – HOMECOMING (1:00/5:00) HS Girls Basketball with Illinois – HOMECOMING (3:00)
February 4	IISL Tournament for MS Boys Basketball
February 5	MS Girls Basketball at Orchard (4:30/5:45) HS JV Boys Basketball at New Creations (6:00) HS Girls Sectionals at Tri-County HS Swimming with Seccina (4:15)
February 6	MS Girls Basketball at Trinity (4:30/5:45)
February 7	MS Swimming with Heritage (4:30)
February 9	HS Boys Basketball at OSD (5:30/7:30)
February 13	HS Class Meetings (10:30)

Today's Menu

Lunch

Hot Ham & Cheese
Macaroni & Beef*
Baked Beans
Nachos & Cheese*
Salad
Cookies

Dinner

Spaghetti & Meat Sauce
Salad
Garlic Bread
Dessert

Breakfast

Grape Juice
Cereal
Fried Eggs
Bacon
Donuts

Saturday's Menu

Lunch

Deli Turkey & Cheese
Soup
Crackers/Chips
Salad Bar
Ice Cream

Dinner

Rotisserie Chicken
Mashed Potatoes
Green Beans
Cake

Breakfast

Orange Juice
Cereal
Scrambled Eggs
Sausage

Sunday's Menu

Lunch

Beef Stew

Dinner

Pizza

Salad/Cottage Cheese
Dessert

Veggie Strips
Fruit & Cookies

Announcements

Sports Update

7th/8th grade Girls Basketball - We played against Park Tudor at their court on Wednesday evening. Justine Jeter and Katie Lecher stayed behind sick, so we had only 8 players. They had a star that was a tall player that could play all positions. We started off slowly but continued to be way behind until the third quarter when they sent in their second squad. We scored 16 points in that quarter and tied the score at 24-24. But, naturally they sent in their first squad immediately and seized control of the game. We lost 26 to 34. Their star player scored 18 points all by herself. Highlights of the game were Micaela Paulone and Amanda Krieger scored 9 and 6 points each. Nukeitra Hayes and ZuZana Duran grabbed 9 and 6 rebounds. Our record is now 3 - 5. - Coach Jay Krieger

7th/8th grade Girls Basketball - We played against St. Richards. I thought our team played their game well, but we never got control of the game. We were down 3 points but then ended the game 8 points down. We lost 37 to 45. Highlights of the game: Nukeitra Hayes and Micaela Paulone earned 12 and 11 points each. Justine Jeter and Nukeitra both grabbed 9 rebounds. Our record is now 3 - 6. Our next game is next Tuesday against Orchard at their court. - Coach Jay Krieger

5th/6th Grade Girls Basketball - We lost to St. Richards by 5 points last night. We had a loss, but we improved a lot with our defense and offenses. I still believe in our girls! Keep it up! Your efforts make me proud of you all! - Coach Ronda Johnson

IISL Tournament Results

5th/6th Grade Boys - Sycamore defeated ISD. The final score was 43 to 34.

7th/8th Grade Boys - International defeated ISD. The final score was 44 to 34.

Junior Varsity Boys Basketball - We beat Whites' Institute, 40 to 29, last night. Marcus Terry snatched 15 rebounds and scored 11 points. Nick Curtin sparked our team by netting eight points. He had been limited with his playing time until yesterday. He was put in the game early and showed us that he could help our team. Our record is 2 and 7.

JV Players of the Month - January's Players of the Month were **Marcus Terry** and **Stanley Mangold**. They are honored because they showed improvement by putting more effort in practices than in December. They put extra work after practice by doing shooting drills to develop their shooting forms. Their performances in games had been upgraded due to their effort. Salute to both Marcus Terry and Stanley Mangold!

Our Little Swimmers in Elementary - Several classes swim on a weekly basis, and we would like to recognize their progress. All of the students have gained confidence and now enjoy being in the water. They are continuing to work on bubble blowing, bobbing, floating, and progressing with arm strokes. Those swimmers are: **Ashley Lilford, Ashley McGlothlin, Jayla Heckman, Bradley Huser, Michael Hughes, Nick Whisner, Courtney Lyons, Kristin Ogan, Grant Henry, Desmane Quinn, and Michael Riehle.**

Deep water skills are quite an accomplishment for the kids, and we are proud to announce those swimmers are: **Garrett Crohn, Michael Myer, Michael Martinez, Kayree Thomas, and James Keeling.** Special thanks to all the staff that make this program successful and those who bravely get in the water weekly! Keep up the good work, you may be our future swimming team! - Nancy Caraboa

New Birth - Paul and Christine Wood are the proud parents of a baby boy. They named him Luke Axel Wood. He was born on January 19, 2002, at 7:31 p.m., weighing exactly eight pounds. Luke was 21 inches long at birth and was born with a full head of dark hair. Christine reported a good, quick delivery. Lance is proud to be a big brother.

Today's Performance - Elementary Drama Performance - Our 2nd Graders will give a great play on February 1st from 1:15 to 2 p.m. Please come to Elementary Gym and watch our students proudly perform

their new drama skills in the original plays entitled "Fountain of Youth", "Chinese New Year", and "The City of Dragons".

Library News - The printer in the library has been fixed and is now working!

Message from Superintendent Stailey - Even while recovering from surgery, the Superintendent is always working for the students and staff here at ISD. Today, I delivered some important paperwork along with your cards to Superintendent Stailey. He was not eager to receive the paperwork, but all of your cards were greatly appreciated. They put a big smile on his face!). He asked that I thank everyone for all of their thoughts and support. He is feeling a little better at each passing day. He plans on being back to ISD on Monday, February 4th with his smiling face, business clothes, and ready to continue with a positive school year. Thanks again for your all your cards! - Mary Rice, Secretary to the Superintendent

Orange and Black Day. Show your school spirit by wearing your orange and black in honor of this weekend's Basketball Homecoming on Saturday. Come to the games and watch our teams take on Illinois. The Homecoming Mr. and Miss Oriole will be crowned during half-time of the Varsity Game.

IT'S GIRL SCOUT COOKIE TIME! - Once again ISD Troop 299 is selling cookies. This year we have two new varieties of cookies. There is the OLE' OLE' cookie which is a bite-sized vanilla cookies with pecan chips and coconut covered with powdered sugar and the ALL ABOUT, a shortbread cookie with a rich fudge coating on the bottom. We also have all of your old favorites, THIN MINTS, SAMOAS, DO-SI-DOS, TAGALONGS, TREFOILS, and ALOHA CHIPS. Yum, Yum! The cost is still \$3.00 per box and delivery is February 15, 2002. There are order forms located throughout campus. If you do not see an order form, please e-mail Kathy Hudson at KHudson@isfd.state.in.us or call ext. 412. Thanks for your support!

Opportunities

Volunteers Needed - The Greater Indiana Deaf Club will be hosting two basketball tournaments in the coming few months. We will be hosting the Regional Central Athletic Association of the Deaf (CAAD) using ISD facilities on March 1 - 3. We will also be hosting the National United States of America Deaf Basketball (USADB) at North Central HS on April 3 - 6. (ISD will be closed for the Spring Break during this time). I am chairman for the statistics/scorekeeper committee and am in need of volunteers. Working some games in either tournament would earn you free combination tickets. Please email me if you are interested in working for either or both tournaments. My email is jkrieger@isfd.state.in.us. Thank you. - Jay Krieger

Welcome to Deaf Fiesta 2002 - Information about thirteen locations of Deaf Fiesta 2002 can be found at <http://www.deaffiesta.com/>.

Technical Skills for Deaf and Signing Individuals in Leadville, Colorado - June 1 - 10, 2002 -

This course will provide a hands-on approach to learning the technical outdoor skills necessary for safe mountaineering. In order to maximize the teaching of skills in the technical realm, we will not be spending much time teaching basic outdoor camping skills. (These can be gained through a Classic Mountain Outward Bound course, see www.cobs.org or a catalog for more information). The course design includes 4 days of snow skills and 4 days of technical rock. The course area will be split: the first half will be located in a backcountry setting (fastest access possible to steep snow in the high country); the second half will have more of a car camping or basecamp set-up. The curriculum will include both learning the actual skills as well as "how to instruct the skill" for those preparing to work as future outdoor instructors.

Twenty-three Day Classic Mountain Course (See catalog description, Suzanne Bono has a copy.), Collegiate Peaks - July 14 - August 5, 2002 - Partial and Full Scholarships Available based on Financial Need, Open Enrollment Students Age 16 And Up, Inquire about Course Number CCM208/CCM212 One Group of all Deaf and Hard of Hearing Students to be Instructed in PSE/ASL by one Deaf and One Hearing Instructor

Teacher Practicum for Deaf and Signing Individuals in Leadville, Colorado, - July 22 - 31, 2002 - The goals of the Teacher Practicum are as follows:

- 1) Provide an overview of the philosophy of experiential education as practiced by Outward Bound.

- 2) Provide an introduction to the universal and wilderness elements of adventure Education
 - Universal elements include: problem solving, initiatives and trust building activities.
 - Wilderness elements include: rock climbing and rappelling, back country travel and navigation, wilderness expedition, river running, peak climb, and solo
- 1) Provide an introduction to environmental education
- 2) Improve the professional practice of teaching through skills development and utilizing new methods:
 - Practice sequencing, selecting, designing, and presenting initiatives appropriate to the classroom;
 - Understand learning styles
- 1) Increase personal enjoyment of teaching through the celebration of being an adult learner and through learning how to create a "community of learners" within the school.
- 6) Have an opportunity to network with professionals on the topic of teaching.
- 7) Experience personal renewal, re-examine attitudes and improve self-esteem.

CONTACT: Colorado Outward Bound School (COBS)
 Sian Hauver, Program Director
 945 Pennsylvania Street, Denver, Colorado 80203
 888-837-5211 or sian@cobs.edu

Please feel free to Email me or phone (970) 641-3875 v/tty with any questions I might help answer.
 Sincerely, Karen Immerso, kimmerso@hotmail.com. Suzanne Bono has a 2002 - 2003 catalog of the COBS Program. If you are interested in reading the catalog, feel free to stop by her classroom - H.S. #205.

Grant Opportunity – Random Acts of Kindness Foundation at
http://www.actsofkindness.org/whats_new/lesson_plan_contest.html is seeking lesson plans that use random acts of kindness in character education, writing projects, amth and general classroom management. The top ten lesson plans will each receive a \$500 to be used in the winning classrooms. The deadline is February 1.

ICAN Training - ICAN Training Sessions are scheduled January 31 and February 1 from 10:00 am –4:00 pm. Training sessions are held in Indianapolis at Fishback Creek Public Academy in Pike Township. After completing a day of training, you will receive your userID and password. Limited spaces are available. Please email njwillia@pike.k12.in.us to reserve a space in one of the sessions.

CODA Scholarship - There is a scholarship for CODA anywhere in USA. There will be 2 available for \$2000.00 each for 2002-2003. Applicants must be the hearing son or daughter of deaf parents. Must submit essays describing the applicant's CODA experience and how it has shaped the Coda as an individual. The essay should include a description of future career aspirations. Each essay will be judged for organization, content, creativity, and a sense of purpose. Deadline for submission; all applications must be completed and postmarked by May 6, 2002. The Scholarship winners' essays will be published in the CODA Connection, the organization's newsletter. For more information and/or Applications can be obtained from:

Dr. Robert Hoffmeister, Chair
 CODA Scholarship Committee
 Programs in Deaf Studies
 605 Commonwealth Avenue
 Boston University
 Boston, MA 02215
 (617) 353-3205 v/tty

SRC Duty

HS Lunch – Mary Kovatch

Staff Working Off Campus

Attending a track clinic - Mike McGeath and Dan Fitzpatrick (John Lestina will sub for Dan.)

Staff Absences

Preschool

Pat Collins (Kim Galagan will sub.)

Elementary
Middle School

High School

Principal's Office
Outreach
BSU

Diana Battiste
Joyce Levy (Pat Cooper will sub.)
Chris Walters (Ted Myhre will sub.)
Brian Thorn (Kristyn Noblitt will sub.)
Becky Smith
Jerry Thixton
Rita Mowl (Chuck Daube will sub.)
Beth Fields (Jenny Cooper will sub.)

Shannon Stafford



Elementary Newsletter

February 1, 2002

The Beach Center on Disability offers fact sheets, articles and an online newsletter covering topics of interest to families of children with disabilities. Some of the topics include friendships, family and professional partnerships, early intervention/early childhood, and disability policy. To read these publications online, go to www.beachcenter.org and click on the publications link. Contact the Beach Center for more information about obtaining hardcopies of their publications.

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By David Geeslin

Our K-kids Corner

Our class has grown! We have welcomed two kindergarten students to our room. Amy Jo Laubenstein and Alyssa Barrett bring our total number of students to 7. We have been quite excited returning to school, sharing news from our holiday vacations. We have been studying winter and are anxiously awaiting the next snowfall so we can go out and build a snowman, a snowwoman and a snowdog. Our winter word list that we have been keeping continues to grow. We enjoy playing "concentration" games with our words and using them in our journals drawings.

We have also been studying about bears. This Friday, we had a Teddy Bear Day. We brought in our own Teddy Bears and kept them with us all day. It was fun. We had the chance to do our Teddy Bear dance and compare our bear to others in our room. It was "beary" fun!

Simone, Amy Jo, Zack, Mercedes, DJ, Lilly and Alyssa
(Chris Fetzer, teacher)

Kara Knebel's Kindergarten Class

Emily Imhausen
Aerianna Rivers

Robert Lewis
Anna Lewis

Latisha Snell Johnathan Jones

My students, Emily, Aerianna and Robert would like to welcome three students, Latisha, Anna and Johnathan. They were in another Kindergarten class with Amy Fenicle. Amy has been moved to teach the 4th Graders. We will miss her as part of our Kindergarten team. We will also miss two of my former students, Amy Jo Laubenstein and Alyssa Barrett. They were moved to another Kindergarten class under Chris Fetzer. Fortunately, we see Amy Jo and Alyssa during recess and occasional get togethers.

Just before returning from our two week Holiday Break, we finally had snowfall on Saturday, January 5th. When we returned back to school on the 7th, we were excited about talking about snow, making a snowman and even throwing snowballs. Since we have three new students, we reviewed class rules, and learned daily routines such as signing in by rearranging their letters to spell their first and last name and then filling in their calendar. We also learned as to when we have Specialist classes such as Art on Mondays, ASL on Tuesdays etc. since the three new students have new schedule from what they were following in their old classroom. We know who would be first in line on a day-to-day basis that stays the same weekly. Also, we have been keeping track of the weather on a daily basis on a Weather Calendar Chart. At the end of the month, we will graph the weather as to how often we had snowy, sunny, cloudy or rainy weather.

In the last three weeks, our theme was "Winter with Snow". We have been hearing stories about snow days, winter and snowmen. We enjoyed coloring, cutting and making snowmen, snowgirls and people with the right clothes for winter wear and the creation of the Winter Mural (come and see it in the hall near our classroom). We made snowmen/snowgirls out of glass jars. We are so creative when given so many items to use to make them. We also made sure that our outdoors animal friends (birds and squirrels) have a share of food that are hanging on trees around the Elementary Department. We will also learn body parts in comparison to the human body vs. the snowman. Based from the story, "Hello Snow!" by Wendy Cheyette Lewison, we will find and tell/describe the opposite words such as large-small, slow-fast, fat-thin, below-above and hello-goodbye. We have been observing the difference between opposite words of hot-cold, doing experiments with ice and worksheets on hot climates vs. cold climates.

In connection to the story called "If You Give a Mouse a Cookie" by Laura Joffe Numeroff, we had a fun and delicious time making Chocolate Chip cookies. This story is silly about a mouse when it is given a chocolate chip cookie sequencing as to what the mouse needs and was given next, after receiving the cookie and so on until the end when he is given a cookie again.

FIRST GRADE NEWS

What a wonderful two weeks we've had in school. Our 100th day of school was on January 18th. We celebrated all week long with different activities. On January 22, 2002, we went to the Children's Museum. They had an exhibit set up to explore 100 things and several hands-on activities.

During February, the first grade will have their annual Post Office. The Post Office works on a variety of skills. We will work on letter writing, sorting, name recognition and addressing envelopes. The students will write, collect, sort and deliver the letters. This is a wonderful experience for the students. Thanks for all of the support.

Danielle, Becki and Marie

2nd Grade Class News

ACTION ... CUT! ACTION... CUT! Our 2nd Graders are very busy preparing for the upcoming play on Friday, February 1st at 1:15 pm that will take place in William Willard Elementary Gym. The titles are "Fountain of Youth" and "City of Dragons". We are having fun doing backstage work, practicing, and getting ready. Everyone is welcome to come and watch us.

Here is some other news. Science is one of our favorite classes. We studied about Liquids and Solids. Our last two activities were amazing. We watched how toothpaste and peppermint candy dissolved in water. It was really fascinating to observe and time the dissolving process. Also, we wrote what our favorite Liquids and Solids activities were in our journal. Some other activities we did in December were "Liquids in Containers", "Solids Screening", "Candle Making", "Solids in Water (Sink/Float)", and "Water in Bottles". Our next unit will be on Electricity and preparing for the upcoming Science Celebration that will be conducted in March.

Fridays are our favorite day of the week for 3rd quarter. We get to go to Caskey Pool for swimming lessons. It is cool to go in the tunnel and swim during the cold winter days. We had our first swimming lesson last week. So far, so good!

During the month of February, we will be taking the annual SAT-HI test. It is important for all students to be well rested, eat well (good breakfast), and not be involved with many after-school activities.

Have a GREAT weekend!

From Suzi's class, Meg, Maj, Hillary, Andrew, Bradley, Nicole, Maureen, and Suzi

2nd Grade News Linda Cooper

We want to welcome Mario Vaccaro to our second grade class.

We will have our play, "The City of Dragons" on February 1st. We have been working hard to do a lot of practice and energy all week and next week. Please come and see our play at the Elementary gym. We will celebrate the Chinese New Year. It marks the end of winter and the beginning of spring. The Chinese believe it brings good luck for the future.

We have been studying about China this month. We are reading the book, "The Great Wall." Its history is so fascinating. It stretched about 4,000 miles and was built to defend the country from northern attacks. It took over 25 years to build, and it is the only man-made structure that can be seen from a spacecraft 200 miles above the earth!

We have a new member of our class! Her name is Susan Sutton and she is a senior at Ball State University. Last year she transferred here from the University of Tennessee where she had the opportunity to work with some excellent teachers at Tennessee School for the Deaf. She is excited to have the opportunity to work with some excellent teachers here at the Indiana School for the Deaf and so far has learned many valuable lessons.

Susan has two daughters, one whom just graduated from college and is working as a Dental Hygienist here in Indy. Her other daughter attends Temple University in Philadelphia, PA and will graduate in May of this year. She is an assistant site director at the Hamilton County YMCA and works at Hoosier Road Elementary part-time. She enjoys working in their after school program and has learned many valuable lessons there, too.

Her goals in life are to finish her degree at Ball State University then work for Teach for America in Harlem, N.Y. While working in N.Y. she will attend Columbia University to obtain a Masters in Teaching American Sign Language as a Foreign Language.

In her spare time she loves to do gardening and cooking.

We are very happy having her in our class. She helps us every day.

Lord Josh Hiss

Lord Josh

Lord Zack



Lady Erica

Lady Laura

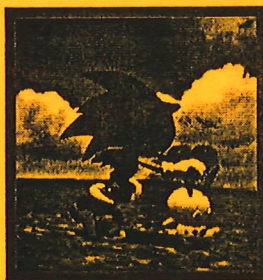
News From the Wolfe Den



Ben Polstra is one of the third grade students in Mrs. Wolfe's Class. He lives in Noblesville with his mother and Indianapolis with his father. He has a cat and a dog. His sister is 13 years old. She is hearing. Ben's grandpa (father's dad) is Deaf.

Ben likes to play computer games. He enjoys playing 4-square outside. When Ben is with his dad, he likes to help with chores. He likes to wash dishes, clean the living room, and make his bed. Ben likes to play Skip-Bo with his mother. He also likes to help his sister play video games. Dreamcast and Sonic are his favorite games.

In school this year, Ben would like to learn more about math. He knows some multiplication facts. He would like to learn more about multiplication and division. Ben's favorite thing about school is cursive handwriting. Ben enjoys school, but he wishes July 4th would get here soon. He wants to celebrate his 10th birthday, along with watching the fireworks!



Greetings from the 4th graders!

On Monday, January 21, the country celebrated Martin Luther King Day. Dr. King, as you know, gave his "I have a Dream" speech where Dr. King told people to treat one

another equally. We would like to share with you how we honored Dr. King's memory last Monday.

Keith Jones – I will support Martin Luther King by helping and supporting my mom and dad

Matthew Dille – I will be nice and help my parents.

Tiara Finch – Monday I will read a story about Martin Luther King.

Brittany Yoder – I will honor, respect and help my mom.

Brenda Marcos – I will help Heidi and my class learns Spanish words.

Amber Miniard – I will get healthy!

Heidi Morris - I will read a book on different people around the world. I will buy more multicultural literature to share with my students in the classroom to learn about people who are different than ourselves. I will also listen to the story of an elderly friend's experience.

Dedra Uhrick – I will pledge allegiance to the flag and I will be nice.

Daniel Davis – I will socialize nicely.

Rusty Hobbs – I will pray and leave flowers on Martin Luther King's gravesite.

Ryan Dibble – I will cooperate with others.

Anna Miller – I will go to church and burn a candle.

Jordan Molet – I will pledge allegiance to the flag.

India Exford – I will rest.

Gretchen Krug - I will reflect on Martin Luther King's teachings.

Kallie Haas – I will remember all his speeches and how that helped people be able to come together. I will also thank him for his work.

Tony Dall – I will watch a movie about Martin Luther King.

Tyler Crace – I will win my basketball game for Martin Luther King.

Shakaria Morris – I will pray about Martin Luther King.

Geoffrey Bignell – I will play computer game about Martin Luther King.

Josh Ralston – I will look on the Internet for information about Martin Luther King.

Nick Touchon – I will read.

Scotty Grandt – I will read a book about Martin Luther King.

Amy Fenicle – I will make a poster to honor Martin Luther King to share with my class.

HOW DID *YOU* HONOR MARTIN LUTHER KING'S MEMORY?

News from Applied Curriculum

Mrs. Levy's students melted chocolate chips last week. They poured the melted chocolate into molds and made several different pieces of candy. It was fun to create different candy shapes. They have also been enjoying some new books in the classroom.

Mrs. Ott's class has been working on food words and reading stories about food. They have prepared breakfast the last two weeks. In math they have been counting from 1 to 30. They have also been identifying numbers to 20. Doing jobs, such as passing out snacks, has helped to support those counting skills.

Ms. Jones' class is working on a scrapbook about themselves. It includes how they have grown, what they like (sports, food, etc.), favorite places and personal information (full name, address, phone number). In math they are practicing measuring skills, length, weight and volume of things. They are learning to use several different measuring devices.

Other Plays Coming to ISD!!

By Guy Vollmar and Jonas Fenicle

On this coming February 1st, the 2nd and 3rd graders will present several exciting plays. The third graders will play the role of Harry Potter by showing different tricks. Keep an eye on their beautiful cloaks. Mrs. Toni Wolfe and Mr. Jeff King planned the whole thing with the students' help. The second graders will present a long play based on The City of Dragons. It was already told during the ASL storytelling hour two months ago so the students are still familiar with the contents.

The second graders are planning to give two brief plays beside this major one. All is relevant to the oriental culture.

Please do come over on February 1st at 1:15pm to watch the interesting plays.

One, boys and girls, one!

We learned basketball skills such as dribbling, passing, and shooting. We also learned throwing skills such as aiming for a target and velocity. I was impressed by some boys and girls who demonstrated their great skills of throwing naturally and playing basketball. I will make sure that they will continue polishing their skills for the future's sports.

We will learn about hockey-related skills, gymnastics, and some movement skills and concepts.

I have seen some of you, boys and girls improving your participation in my P.E. classes. Keep it up, boys and girls!

In my health classes, I will introduce students about Alcohol, Tobacco, and other drugs. I feel that it is important for students to understand that those drugs do harm their bodies. "Feel high by being healthy!"

Thomas Perkins, P.E./Health teacher

What should I do?

Your child has been studying what to do if they are lost – in a store, etc.

The children brainstormed their ideas.

We saw video tapes of large department stores and their "Guest Service" counters.

We saw/realized that the employees wore specific colors of clothing and some wore vests, etc.

Your child had to figure out what communication strategies to use when they approached a non-signer.

The employee used a "PA" system . Your child had to figure out how to communicate when the person they needed to contact – is deaf.

The older students discussed establishing a "meeting place" and the exact "time" to meet (if they were ever allowed to be separated from adults.)

We have had fun with the lessons. I would really appreciate it if you would discuss this with your child – especially when they "experience" going to a store, etc. Thank you so much
For your help!

Sandy Hakes,
Communication Center teacher

Basketball Night

Fifth Graders vs. Staff

A fund-raising basketball game between the fifth-graders and elementary staff will be played late in March at Caskey Gym. The proceeds from the event will go towards the fifth grade's field trip to Washington D.C., April 18-25, 2002.

Further details will be announced in our next newsletter. So be on the lookout!

Malcolm Peters
Linda Groogan
U. Sung Chung

ASL for Beginner Parents

Tuesdays 1:30 – 3:00 PM
Multi-Purpose Room, Building 1

ASL for Intermediate Parents
Thursdays 1:30 – 3:00 PM
Multi-Purpose Room, Bldg 1

Instructor: Janet Schwall, Certified ASLTA Instructor
and parent of ISD students
Classes will be using the Bravo ASL video tapes

CLASSES BEGIN
January 22- MARCH 26

For information contact:
Diane Hazel Jones, Outreach
924-8418

Glendale Mall ASL Evenings

When: 1st Thursday of each month
Where: Glendale Mall Food Court
Time: 5 - 8:30 PM
Purpose: Eat, meet new people, use ASL, read stories in the library, socialize with Deaf people, talk-----
For who: Deaf people, hearing families with Deaf children, Deaf families with deaf and or hearing children, siblings, Senior Citizens, CV residents, Codas, teachers, students,
ALL ARE WELCOME TO COME AND USE ASL FOR THE EVENING!!!!!!!

For more information contact:

Diane Hazel Jones

Outreach Department

Indiana School for the Deaf

1200 E. 42nd Street

Indianapolis, In 46205

1-317-924-8418

1-800-722-6166 Indiana Residents only

Class of 2005 VALENTINE BALLOON

List the quantity needed for your choice/s.
(please tell your first choice and second and third choice in case balloon runs out)



#1 _____



#2 _____



#3 _____



#4 _____

BALLOONS : QTY _____ X \$4.00 = _____

TO: _____
MESSAGE: _____

LOVE/FROM, _____
Department

TO: _____
MESSAGE: _____

LOVE/FROM, _____
Department

Please make check payable to
Class of 2005

Mail to : Beatrice Pfaff
Vocational Bldg, Room 7206
Indiana Deaf School
1200 42nd Street
Indianapolis, IN 46205
(317) 920-6219 TTY
Relay: 1 800 743 3333

For more information see Beatrice Pfaff
And

See Joseph Pfaff, Chairperson
Jon Mowl, Co-chairperson

Deadline for order by Feb. 11 Distribute on Feb 14

(Candies may be announced later)

Class of 2005
VALENTINE Carnation

(First come, First Serve)
Limit 100 vases of Flowers will be sold



Two Red Carnations in white vase
With green leaf, leptos and ribbons

Carnations : QTY _____ X \$6.00 = _____

TO: _____
MESSAGE: _____

LOVE/FROM, _____

Department

TO: _____
MESSAGE: _____

LOVE/FROM, _____

Department

Please make check payable to
Class of 2005.

Mail to: Beatrice Pfaff
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1200 42nd Street
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Relay: 1 800 743 3333

For more information see Beatrice Pfaff
and

See Joseph Pfaff, Chairperson.
Allison Geisting, CoChairperson

Deadline for order by Feb 11 Distribute on Feb 14th

(candles will be announced later)



ISD Daily News

He who knows enough is enough will always have enough. – Lao-Tzu

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Today's Activities

8:00	D. Gooden
8:30	M. Bratton
9:00	J. Barrett
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Sports Update

HS Girls Basketball - Indiana 52 Illinois 14

Our girls started the game with a big fire and grabbed a 28 - 3 halftime lead over the cold shooting Lady Tigers. Every player of our team scored except one. Our two seniors, Brooke Aldrete and Cherish Lewis, played their last home game in front of a good crowd on ISD's hardwood. The Players of the Game were Brooke Aldrete (4 pts/6 rebounds/3 steals/4 assists) and Cherish Lewis (11 pts/5 rebounds). Our current record is 14 – 7, and our next game is against Lapel at Tri Central Sectional (Feb. 5th).

HS Boys Basketball at Homecoming - Indiana Boys ISD - 54 Illinois - 64

What a hard battle for 29 minutes versus a strong Illinois Deaf School team at our homecoming! Illinois has a reputation for always playing tough conference schedules so their record often doesn't reflect their true ability. In the first quarter we played well. Illinois played well in the second quarter as we were down by one at half-time, 32-33. In the second half, we continued to battle Illinois's offense and defense transitions. With only three minutes left in the game, we blew several opportunities including a missed easy layup, tipped offense rebounds, not blocking out their missed 1-1 FT (TWICE), and stopping our fastbreak passes. As a result, we could not score in the last three minutes. However, it was a very good game. Our current record is 8 - 10. - Keith Westhoelter

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Wed. May 8
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MS & HS Geospatial Analysis
Athletic Call-Out for Fall '02 Sports

Auditorium (LCD needed)

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HS Lunch - Darin Turner
 Afterschool - Rita Mow

Staff Working Off Campus

Staff Absence

Preschool

Pat Collins (Kim Gahan will sub.)
Carla Meyer (Tina Meyer will sub.)
Curtis Gagarosa (Denny Cooper will sub.)
Kelli Jo Hancock (Late)

Elementary

Lucy Kramer
Mike McGeath
Joyce Levy
Kim Johnson
Suzie McGeath (Late)

Middle School

Ruth Asher-Lynch

High School
Principal's Office
Outreach

BSU

Jerry Thixton
Jerry Backus (Scott Miller will sub.)

Lori Dille
Terri Motter will be in at 9:30.
Beth Kolanowski
Cinda Roedel

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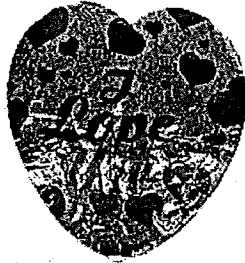


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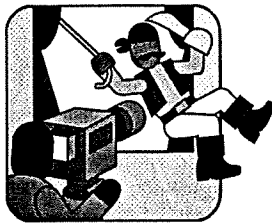
Middle School News

February 1, 2002

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IMPORTANT DATES

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February 24th PTCO Board Meeting



Hands Alive

It's time to prepare for the Young Deaf Arts Festival again! This year in addition to the Student Talent Show Competition and the Art Contest, students may also enter the Literary Contest. The festival will be held March 4-7. This is a great opportunity and a fun experience for all involved.



Today in Black History-1872- Jefferson Franklin Long becomes the first Black person to speak in the House of Representatives as a congressman.



CLOWES HALL

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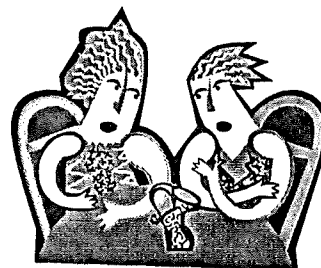
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A Deaf Health Fair Including Hard of Hearing

The DHFC is a group of Deaf, Hard-of-Hearing, and Hearing individuals focusing on education and support systems for deaf communities in the prevention of health-related problems.

This year will be different from the past years HIV/AIDS workshops because there will be a more broad focus on other health topics in addition to HIV/AIDS.

Topics such as Acoustic Neuroma, Cancer, Diabetes, "How To Use An Interpreter", Child Abuse, Fire Safety, Understanding Medications (R), "Why Faith Is Important", Heart Disease & High Blood Pressure, Women's Issues, Men's Issues, Mental Health Issues, Rights, plus other topics!

DHFC is very excited to present Ken Glickman, "Prof. Glick," and his show, *Deafology 101: Deaf Culture Through the Eyes of a Deaf Comedian*. He will be the keynote speaker.

FREE: All Workshop Sessions – including "Prof. Glick"
Childcare
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Box lunch for those who send registrations before March 9, 2002

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For more information contact:

Betty Rosenberger
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A Deaf Health Fair Including Hard of Hearing

The DHFC is a group of Deaf, Hard-of-Hearing, and Hearing individuals focusing on education and support systems for deaf communities in the prevention of health-related problems.

This year will be different from the past years HIV/AIDS workshops because there will be a more broad focus on other health topics in addition to HIV/AIDS.

Topics such as Acoustic Neuroma, Cancer, Diabetes, "How To Use An Interpreter", Child Abuse, Fire Safety, Understanding Medications (Rx), "Why Faith Is Important", Heart Disease & High Blood Pressure, Women's Issues, Men's Issues, Mental Health Issues, Rights, plus other topics!

DHFC is very excited to present Ken Glickman, "Prof. Glick," and his show, *Deafology 101: Deaf Culture Through the Eyes of a Deaf Comedian*. He will be the keynote speaker.

FREE: All Workshop Sessions – including "Prof. Glick"
Childcare
Materials

Box lunch for those who send registrations before March 9, 2002

Registration: 8 am to 9 am

Events: 9 am to 5 pm

For more information contact:

Betty Rosenberger

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Rosenberger@cs.cmu.edu

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Directions:

I-75 North or South to Exit 3

Turn Left (East) onto US-52 (Hopple St) 0.2

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Vegetable Lasagna*
Corn
Peas
Nachos*
Fruit Juice Bar*
French Silk Pie

Dinner

Roast Beef
Parsley Potatoes
Broccoli
Applesauce

Breakfast

Orange Juice
Cereal
Poached Eggs
Bacon

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HS Girls Sectionals Lapel 74 Indiana 43

The game was a lot closer than it looks. We were only down by 13 points at the end of third quarter. We simply fell apart in the fourth quarter when trying to cut the deficit. It was only 18 points when we decided to allow our second unit to play with 4 minutes left. It turned out to a 31 points loss. What hurt us the whole game was our turnovers. This game ended our season. We would like to thank our two departing seniors, Brooke Aldrete and Cherish Lewis, for joining our basketball program. Also we want to thank Lena Robinson (senior) for being our video woman. The Players of the Game were Jorjan Jeter (4 pts/8 rebounds/8 block shots) and Elsie Ritchie (19 pts/2 block shots). Our season record is 14 - 8. - Coach Ken Kramer

5th/6th Grade Girls Basketball - In fourth quarter, we tied 14 to 14! But they scored while we did not. It was a really good game! We improved a lot on our defense, but we still need to improve our shooting. Keep it up, girls! Rosetta Swartz played great; she made 6 points and grabbed 5 rebounds. - Ronda Johnson

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Junior Varsity Boys Basketball - We lost to New Creation, 62 to 42. We played against their varsity boys. We were able to compete with them, but lack of grabbing rebounds and picking up loose balls that put us away. We were down by seven points in the third quarter. Adam Brimmer led our team with 12 points. Stanley Mangold added 10 points. Our record is 2 and 9. We will play at Ohio this Saturday. - Coach Thomas Perkins

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WANTED: - Native ASL Signers between ages 18 yrs - 40 yrs. for participation in two (2) ASL Research Studies at Purdue University. EARN: \$50 for both experiments/\$30 for Study 1: \$20 for Study 2.

Study #1

Prof. Diane Brentari, Prof. Robert D. Melara, and Kathryn Hansen, invite you to participate in a research project on how the mind processes the signs of American Sign Language and the words of the English language. We are interested in understanding how words or signs can distract people when they are concentrating on a separate task. In this project, the task is to identify patches of color. The experiment typically lasts 2 hours, and will involve watching signs and printed English words on a computer screen and responding by pressing a key on a computer keyboard.

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ICAN - ICAN training sessions are scheduled March 19th and March 20th from 9am to 3pm. The trainings are identical so please choose only one day. Training is being held in Indianapolis at Fishback Creek Public Academy. To register for either training please email Norma Williams at njwillia@pike.k12.in.us.

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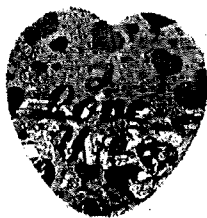
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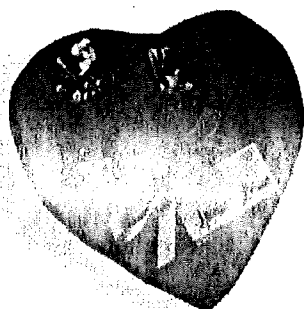
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For more information see Beatrice Pfaff
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Deadline for order by Feb. 11 Distribute on Feb 14



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Two Red Carnation in White vase
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Kindness is the noblest weapon.

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Thursday, February 7, 2002

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8:30	M. Sachs S. Bignell
9:00	I. Olvey
10:00	N. Phillips D. Sachs
1:00	J. Hill D. Jones
2:00	K. Sparks
3:00	T. Games S. Luttrell
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Interchange

The February issue of the Interchange is now available on line at !
www.state.in.us/jobs/theinterchange/feb02.html

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Roast Turkey
Cheese Manicotti*
Mashed Potatoes
Green Beans
Malt Cups*
Chocolate Ice Cream

Dinner

Ham & Beans
Fried Potatoes
Sliced Tomatoes
Corn Bread
Pineapple

Breakfast

Orange Juice
Cereal
Pancakes
Scrambled Eggs
Sausage

Announcements

Sports Update

HS Boy's Varsity Swimming - The team was victorious Tuesday night when they hosted Sccecina. Each team had only 4 swimmers, so we knew it would be a close match. Two of our swimmers were ineligible to swim. We had beat them in the past 2 meets, so the swimmers had to be prepared to swim their best race. It came down to the final relay as to whom would win the meet. Our boys pulled it off and won the 400 Relay and beat our opponent by 5 points. The swimmers worked hard to win their last meet before Sectionals. Sectionals are at Carmel next Thursday at 5:30pm.

First Place Finishers

- ❖ Jeremy Wright in the 200 Free and 500 Free
- ❖ Scottie Miller in the 100 Back
- ❖ Clayton Anderson in the 50 and 100 Free
- ❖ 200 Free Relay and 400 Free Relay - Wright, Young, Anderson and Miller

Good Luck in Sectionals! - Coaches Caraboa, Graves and Field

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News from the Superintendent's Office - As a follow up to a previous communication with all of you about utility costs, I wanted to share this positive information.

- ❖ Overtime for last year compared to this year has shown a remarkable savings. The overtime paid in FY 01 compared to what has been spent thus far in FY 02 was decreased by \$102,768.23. This is a great savings for the school.
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- ❖ The natural gas charges compared with this year and last year have increased by \$10,780.31. This is not a tremendous increase and, if you recall, natural gas prices increased for residential consumers as well as commercial consumers last year.

Thank you all for your efforts to reduce overtime, conserve energy and keep the costs down at ISD.

Library News - There are 5 sets of the new ISD PR video that may be checked out for your review.

Personnel News - The Personnel Office, Bldg. 6 Rm G18, now has a computer sitting outside their doorway to assist in finding a job through the State Personnel Job Bank. It has been set up so visitors to ISD can access the job bank and apply for jobs at ISD and throughout the State of Indiana. This will be a great time saver, and it will save the school from wasting paper and printer ink. Personnel had been printing out the Job Bank once a week for many years and using anything from 50 to 150 sheets of paper. Now the computer can do the searching. It has been requested that staff and students not use the Job Bank computer. If staff would like to view the Job Bank, they can access it on their computer at their desks or see Sylvia in Personnel. If visitors need assistance with the computer, Sylvia will be available to help and print out whatever they are requesting. What a wonderful idea for ISD!

Staff can get access to the Job Bank by pulling up their Novell Delivered Applications. When it is open, look to left under the ISFD tree and click on Job Bank. This will show the following; Job Applications, Job Bank, Standardized Policies, State Benefits and The Interchange. Just click on what you wish to review.

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This special lecture will be interpreted for the Deaf and Hard-of-Hearing. More information is below about Dave Pelzer. If anyone is planning to attend that would like to be accommodated with special seating in great view of the interpreters, please contact Trina Decker at scecballstate@yahoo.com. For questions about the actual lecture and directions to Emens, please call the Box office at 765-285-1539 (Voice).

Dave Pelzer survived through an ugly and abusive childhood. Despite the horrors of his early life, he has prevailed, distinguishing himself as an extraordinary advocate for children. His many awards and honors include the 1990 J.C. Penney Golden Rule Award, which made him that year's California Volunteer of the Year. In 1993, he was elected one of Ten Outstanding Young Americans, joining ranks thereby with past recipients John F. Kennedy, Richard Nixon, Anne Bancroft, Orson Welles, Walt Disney and Nelson Rockefeller. In 1994, he was the only American to be designated Outstanding Young Person of the World. He carried the Centennial Flame at the opening of the 1996 Olympics. His first book, *A Child Called It*, was nominated for a Pulitzer Prize. Dave now travels more than 250 days a year to speak on occasions such as this about the importance of child protection work. Due to his frankness about his own experiences, children under age 18 should NOT attend. - Trina Decker, President, Student Council for Exceptional Children, BSU

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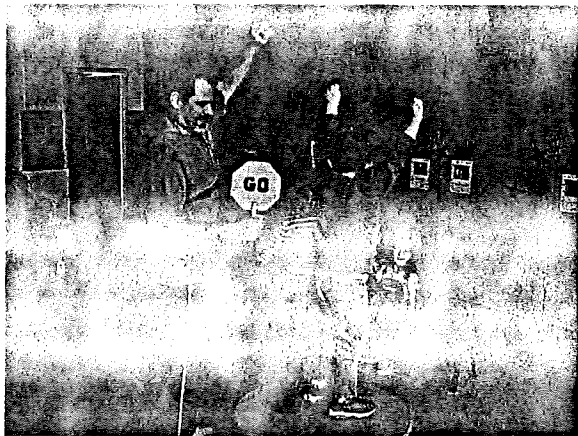
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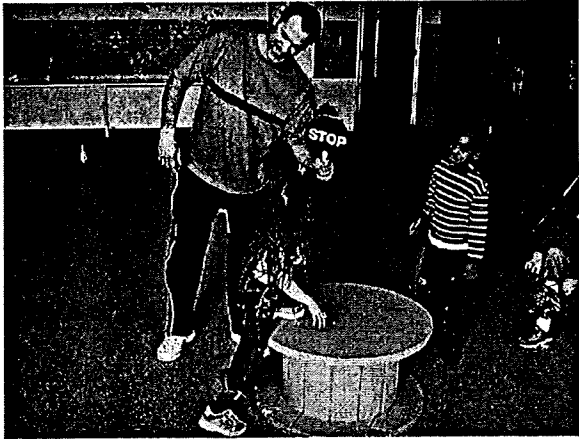
Dear Families,

By now, several of you have had a home visit provided by Michael Paulone, Preschool's physical education teacher. He will be making every effort possible to see all of our families before the school year is over. Our purpose is to help parents understand the importance of motor development (learning to move large and small muscles) and its impact on all area of development, especially language. Delays in motor development can affect your child in many ways that will impact learning.



To help you become more knowledgeable about how to help your child at home, Michael will update you on your child's gross motor skills, make suggestions for age-appropriate equipment and offer ideas of activities for your family to do together.

In addition to providing home visits on Fridays, you can find Mike Paulone teaching gross motor skills daily to our preschool students ages eighteen months – five years. Each child receives fifteen minutes a day in individually geared physical activities in the P.E. Learning Center. Children are given four-to-six choices of activities to help increase their skills in throwing, catching, kicking, balancing, jumping and climbing. These skills are then reinforced twice a week in a thirty-minute P.E. class. Emphasis shifts during P.E. class to group oriented activities that stress the importance of teamwork, sharing and cooperation.



Next time you are in Preschool, stop by the gym and see how Mike encourages your child's motor development in many fun, safe and rewarding ways. Be prepared...you will be asked to join in the fun!!

You can also get some great ideas from the attached article "Pairing Movement With Learning" by Jill Martindale. So, are you ready? Get moving and make learning FUN for you and your child!

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WINTER FESTIVAL

Wow! The Preschool Winter Festival was successful! The children showed lots of curiosity, laughter, and excitement while participating in various activities planned by staff and parents. These activities included icing cupcakes, drinking slushies, making and decorating paper bag gingerbread houses, creating paper plate snowmen faces, painting rainbow tissue paper snowflakes, pinning a carrot nose on the snowman, snowball relay using cotton balls, and picture-taking with a real snowman (Jennifer Pendergrass, BSU).



Afternoon naptime was certainly not a problem! The children were exhausted from so much excitement.

We had wonderful parent volunteers from preschool and kindergarten. They volunteered by giving donations, brainstorming ideas for our activities, decorating/setting up the gym, making materials for the activities, and/or running booths.

Preparing for a festival is a lot of work. We, the preschool staff and the children, are very fortunate to have parent volunteers to help run our festivals.

Family involvement is very important to the children and our program:



Many thanks to: Beth Slaven, Jodee Crace, Ashley Gibson, Joan & Daniel Smith, Karen Hearn, Brooke Olson, Joy Lehnertz, Susan Kelly, Scott Motter, Jenny Foster, Heather Sullivan, Ed & Theresa Barrett, Marta Laubenstein, and Gina Imhausen.

~ Cami Cass, Event Coordinator.



Glendale Mall ASL Evenings

When: 1st Thursday of each month

Where: Glendale Mall Food Court

Time: 5 – 8:30 PM

Purpose: Eat, meet new people, use ASL, read stories in the library, socialize with Deaf people, talk and much more.

For who: Deaf people, hearing families with Deaf children, Deaf families with deaf and or hearing children, siblings, Senior Citizens, CV residents, CODAS, teachers, students,
ALL ARE WELCOME TO COME AND USE ASL FOR THE EVENING!!!!

For more information contact:

Diane Hazel Jones

Outreach Department

Indiana School for the Deaf

1200 E. 42nd Street

Indianapolis, IN 46205

1-317-924-8418

1-800-722-6166 Indiana Residents Only

Parent ASL Classes

When: Tuesdays and Thursdays

Time: 1:30 to 3:00 PM

Where: Preschool Room #115

Welcome:

To all our new students and their families.

Tiffany Beard

Justin Pickering

Alexander Pitchford

Jada Griffith

Malayna Games

Noah Motter

Upcoming Events:

Feb. 7: Cami & Sharon's class
fieldtrip to bowling

Feb. 11: PAC 8:30 – 10:00

Feb. 14: Fathers' Luncheon

Feb. 15: 12:30 PM Dismissal

Feb. 18: No School - Winter Break

Feb. 19: Classes resume

Fun Friday Fieldtrips

Feb. 22

Children Museum

Pairing Movement With Learning

By Jill Martindale

Introduction

Children spend much of their first year learning to move and control their own bodies—lifting their heads, turning over, sitting, crawling, seeing and feeling. Children use all of their senses to explore an object or a space. They learn mostly through movement. Children learn the size of a room by crawling around it. They learn what their bodies can do by moving through space in many ways rolling crawling, walking. As children repeatedly practice and perfect these skills, they begin to explore with their eyes as well as their bodies and hands. This learning to move large and small muscles is called *motor development*.

The Importance of Motor Development

Delays in motor development affect all areas of a child's development. Children who cannot touch, feel, or move to explore things in their surroundings may not develop appropriate learning and thinking skills. It is just as true that a child's motor development can enhance development in other areas! This *concept* is a valuable teaching tool in the area of speech and language therapy. It means that doing movement activities can help speech and language learning. Movement activities are fun and easy to incorporate into home and recreational activities.

Movement Activities for Language Development

Following are descriptions of areas the speech and language clinician may work on with your child. Ideas and activities for mastering these concepts by pairing them with movement are included. It is not important how well your child can perform the movement activities described. It is important to simply include movement in a fun and relaxed way to help your child learn language skills.

1. Prepositions/Spatial Concepts

A child learning concepts such as on/off, under/on top of, in front of/in back of, and between can be greatly aided by personal experience. Try to incorporate a variety of positions and movements to accomplish this.

You can design an obstacle course for your child to move over, under, around, and through. Your child can:

- Crawl **under** a table, **through** a large box, or **over** a "mountain" of pillows.
- Step **in** and **out** of a large tire, **on** and **off** a

stool, or **through** the rungs of a ladder.

- Run **between** two lines or sit down next to an object.

To encourage understanding give your child directions about where to move. Use the words you want your child to learn in the activities. Make statements and ask questions. Let your imagination go! There are countless ways to incorporate movement into this area of learning.

2. Left/Right

have fun learning left-right by using body parts and motor skills. You can start with simple activities such as:

- Standing (kicking, hopping, stomping, using the right/left foot.
- Pointing (throwing, patting, touching, tapping, etc.) with the right/left hand.
- Balancing on hands and knees (lying on the floor, sitting in a chair, etc.) and lifting the right/left arm or leg.

You can then increase the difficulty by adding more parts to the request:

- Put your right hand on your left knee.
- Put your right foot on the yellow circle and your left foot on the red square!

3. Verbs

Your child's motor abilities can be very helpful in understanding action words. Use the appropriate verbs as you do these activities:

- Have your child show you "jumping," "climbing," "crawling," "running," "kicking," "throwing," or "batting"
- If your child enjoys pretend play, the child can even pantomime activities such as hammering, sweeping or vacuuming.

4. Opposites

Using movement to learn opposites such as big/little is a bit more challenging. Here are some activities that are fun and easy to do:

- Have your child be as **little**/ as **big** as possible. Ask the child to do a **big** jump and a **little** jump.
- Your child can walk (run, clap, wave) **slow** and **fast**.
- The child can reach up **high** by standing on tiptoes or **low** by bending way over.
- **Stop** and **go/start** can be learned by playing "red light—green light."
- Using a wagon or large box, the child can demonstrate **push** and **pull**.
- Balls, balloons, and pillows of different sizes and weights can be used to learn **throw** and **catch**.

5. Number or Quantity

Movement activities can again be helpful teaching aids. Your child can:

- Jump (clap, knock, hop, blow, etc) forward a specific number of times.
- Throw the requested number of balls (beanbags, blocks, jar lids, beans, etc.) into a large box.
- Identify numbers by running and jumping onto the numbered marker (as in hopscotch).

6. Colors

You can play movement games with your child to practice color recognition and labeling.

- To practice recognizing colors you can ask your child to run to the **red** marker or **jump** to the **green** marker
- 91b practice naming colors you can perform the activity and then ask, "What color did I run to?"
- Balloon/ball play is a fun and inexpensive way to practice naming and recognizing colors. For example, your child can select the requested color to kick, throw, or bat.

7. Shapes

In learning to recognize geometric shapes such as circles, triangles, and squares, your child can use movement in these activities:

- Have your child walk/run along the outlines of large shapes you have drawn in the gravel, marked on the porch, etc.
- Have your child practice "drawing" shapes using different kinds of movement:
In a dark room "draw" shapes on the wall with a flashlight.

"Paint" shapes with water on the sidewalk, the fence, or the outside wall. Encourage big painting to incorporate upper body movement.

Toss beanbags onto large shapes drawn on paper or through shapes cut in a large piece of cardboard.

8. Animals

Learning to recognize and identify animals and imitate animal sounds can be enhanced through movement. Use these activities to practice naming animals and making animal sounds, and to identify actions associated with the animals:

- Move like familiar animals. Your child can identify what animal you are imitating by your body posture and actions. The child can then copy your movements.
- The child can pretend to be a certain animal and even pair the action with the animal sounds. For example, by crawling, your child can pretend to "walk like a dog" and bark at the same time!
- Animal shadow plays (a bird, a bunny) are another fun activity.

9. Directions

Following directions can incorporate many of the concepts already discussed. This activity can become gradually more difficult as more requests are combined (one, two, or three-step directions). Ask your speech clinician how many steps to use for your child's language abilities.

- 1-step: *Run* (verb) to your room.
- 2-step: *Skip* (verb) to the bathroom and put your clothes *in* (preposition) the hamper
- 3-step: *Go* (verb) outside, get two (number) balls, and *throw* (verb) them *in* (preposition) the toybox.

Vocabulary

Concept—A general idea or characteristic applicable to several objects or events, which helps organize knowledge about the world.

Motor development—Growth of skills relating to muscular movements.

A Deaf Health Fair Including Hard of Hearing

The DHFC is a group of Deaf, Hard-of-Hearing, and Hearing individuals focusing on education and support systems for deaf communities in the prevention of health-related problems.

This year will be different from the past years HIV/AIDS workshops because there will be a more broad focus on other health topics in addition to HIV/AIDS.

Topics such as Acoustic Neuroma, Cancer, Diabetes, "How To Use An Interpreter", Child Abuse, Fire Safety, Understanding Medications (Rx), "Why Faith Is Important", Heart Disease & High Blood Pressure, Women's Issues, Men's Issues, Mental Health Issues, Rights, plus other topics!

DHFC is very excited to present Ken Glickman, "Prof. Glick," and his show, *Deafology 101: Deaf Culture Through the Eyes of a Deaf Comedian*. He will be the keynote speaker.

FREE: All Workshop Sessions – including "Prof. Glick"
Childcare
Materials

Box lunch for those who send registrations before March 9, 2002

Registration: 8 am to 9 am

Events: 9 am to 5 pm

For more information contact:

Betty Rosenberger
513-584-3785 TTY
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Rosenbbm@Healthall.com

Mail or FAX Registration:

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Betty Rosenberger
234 Goodman ML 0707
Cincinnati, OH 45219-0707

Sponsored by: University Hospital
Cincinnati State Technical & Community College

Directions:

I-75 North or South to Exit 3

Turn Left (East) onto US-52 (Hopple St) 0.2

Bear Left (North) onto US-127 (US-27) 0.8

End: Arrive 3520 Central Parkway 0.1

Contact Terri Motter at tmotter@lsfd.state.in.us for more information.

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The sorrow that has not vent in tears,
may make other organs weep. – Henry Maudsley

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AMERICORPS

GIVE BACK FOR A YEAR. SERVE YOUR COMMUNITY. CHANGE YOUR LIFE.

AmeriCorps, the domestic Peace Corps, engages more than 50,000 Americans in intensive, results-driven service each year. AmeriCorps members train volunteers, tutor and mentor at-risk youth, build housing, clean up rivers and streams, help seniors live independently, provide emergency and long-term assistance to victims of natural disasters, and meet other community needs. AmeriCorps is a one-year service program. After a term of service, AmeriCorps members receive education awards to help finance college or pay back student loans.

AmeriCorps will be helping out around ISD 2 days a week for an 8-week period starting February 4th going to March 30th. The rest of the week, they will be working with the IRS. The group of 10 people consisting of 8 women and 2 men will be doing various duties around campus such as working in both cafeterias, dispatching for campus police, library aides, and tagging inventory. For their service, they will be housed in Raney Hall. Please welcome this group when you see them around campus, they are giving their time to serve us.

Nancy Creighton
Phillip Impastato
Ani Meyers (unit leader)
Elizabeth Snell

Marie Grewall
Kate Krisjanis
Meridith Milesi

Damon Lewis
Ashlee McLaughlin
Betsy Olsen

Today's Activities

8:30	Z. Kremer
9:00	N. Wheeler
10:00	A. Kremer
1:00	L. Robinson

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Today's Menu

Lunch

Spaghetti & Meat Sauce
Chicken Penne Pasta*
Salad
Garlic Texas Bread
Banana Pudding

Announcements

Sports Update

MS Swimming - We had our first Middle School Swim Meet yesterday against Heritage Christian. They were a strong team. We tried our best and broke some Middle School record. The girls' score was 72 - 21. The boys' score was 66 - 13.

Interchange

The February issue of the Interchange is
now available on line at !

www.state.in.us/jobs/theinterchange/feb02.html

- *Tahnee Brink was in first place in the for 100 Breast. She broke the Middle School record.
- *Carly Robinson was in first place for 50 Fly and second place in 400 Free. She broke those records too.
- *200 Free Relay and 200 Medley Relay (C. Nemer, T. Brink, C. Robinson and M. Sachs) broke the old school record.
- *Zachary McIntosh was in second place for 400 Free and broke the old school record by one minute and eight seconds!!!

The swimmers did a good job! We compete against the same team in two weeks. We will work hard for the next two weeks! - Coaches Caraboa, Graves & Field

2002-02 CALENDAR (DRAFT FORM) - As many staff members are planning ahead for professional, personal, and family activities, I wanted to share some information from the DRAFT FORM of our proposed 2002-03 School Calendar. I am still working with the Supt./Principal at ISB towards a final draft that will be shared with Administration Teams and the unions for feedback and final approval. ISD staff can send feedback to the principal's office. Thank you.

Important Dates/Notes for the 2002-03 School Calendar (DRAFT FORM):

August 9, 2002 Staff Reports - Professional Day (Note: One Professional Day Only)

August 11, 2002 Registration Day

August 12, 2002 First Day of School for Students (Preschool starts the following Monday)

Note: Ten Half Days Throughout The Year:

- Six Accreditation Days
- Four Report/Parent-teacher Meeting Days

Nov. 11, 2002 Veteran's Day (Observed Holiday, No School)

Dec. 20, 2002 First Semester Ends - Winter Break Begins

Jan. 6, 2003 Second Semester Begins

March 31- April 4, 2003 Spring Break

April 18 - April 21 Easter Break (Classes Resume Tuesday, April 22)

May 22 Graduation Ceremonies/Last Student Day

May 23 Report Day for Educational Staff

Total Instructional Days 180

Total Contract Days 206

News from the Superintendent's Office - As a follow up to a previous communication with all of you about utility costs, I wanted to share this positive information.

- ❖ Overtime for last year compared to this year has shown a remarkable savings. The overtime paid in FY 01 compared to what has been spent thus far in FY 02 was decreased by \$102,768.23. This is a great savings for the school.
- ❖ Electrical costs compared with this year and last year shows a savings of \$12,203.96. Thanks to all your efforts to conserve electricity.
- ❖ The natural gas charges compared with this year and last year have increased by \$10,780.31. This is not a tremendous increase and, if you recall, natural gas prices increased for residential consumers as well as commercial consumers last year.

Thank you all for your efforts to reduce overtime, conserve energy and keep the costs down at ISD.

Library News - There are 5 sets of the new ISD PR video that may be checked out for your review.

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GIDC To Host Two Basketball Tournaments - The Greater Indianapolis Deaf Club will host the Central Athletic Association of the Deaf (CAAD) Basketball Tournament on March 1 thru 3, 2002. The games will be at Indiana Deaf School. It possible that 12 to 16 Deaf Club teams to compete that weekend. The ballroom will be at GIDC on Saturday, March 2. For flyers or more information, feel free to contact Steven Stultz at FordStu@aol.com or Sharon K Wooten at SharonK948@aol.com

GIDC also hosts the USA Deaf Basketball (formerly AAAD) on the weekend of April 3 thru 6, 2002. A big event is to celebrate the 50th Anniversary AAAD Hall of Fame, which will be happened on Friday night, April 5. "Hall of Fame Gala" at the Marriott Hotel ballroom from 6pm to 9pm. Dancing will follow until 1am. On Saturday, April 6 there will have a ballroom dancing. The DJ is the one of best music entertainments with best quality of equipment. Thursday thru Saturday basketball games will be at North Central High School and North View Middle School on the same area (walking distance). There will have at least 40 teams for Division I Men/Women and II Men For flyer or more information, contact Doug Mader at Indydeafclub@aol.com

Volunteers Needed - The Greater Indiana Deaf Club will be hosting two basketball tournaments in the coming few months. We will be hosting the Regional Central Athletic Association of the Deaf (CAAD) using ISD facilities on March 1 - 3. We will also be hosting the National United States of America Deaf Basketball (USADB) at North Central HS on April 3 - 6. (ISD will be closed for the Spring Break during this time). I am chairman for the statistics/scorekeeper committee and am in need of volunteers. Working some games in either tournament would earn you free combination tickets. Please email me if you are interested in working for either or both tournaments. My email is jkrieger@isfd.state.in.us. Thank you. - Jay Krieger

Welcome to Deaf Fiesta 2002 - Information about thirteen locations of Deaf Fiesta 2002 can be found at <http://www.deaffiesta.com/>.

Technical Skills for Deaf and Signing Individuals in Leadville, Colorado - June 1 - 10, 2002 -

This course will provide a hands-on approach to learning the technical outdoor skills necessary for safe mountaineering. In order to maximize the teaching of skills in the technical realm, we will not be spending much time teaching basic outdoor camping skills. (These can be gained through a Classic Mountain Outward Bound course, see www.cobs.org or a catalog for more information). The course design includes 4 days of snow skills and 4 days of technical rock. The course area will be split: the first half will be located in a backcountry setting (fastest access possible to steep snow in the high country); the second half will have more of a car camping or basecamp set-up. The curriculum will include both learning the actual skills as well as "how to instruct the skill" for those preparing to work as future outdoor instructors.

Twenty-three Day Classic Mountain Course (See catalog description, Suzanne Bono has a copy.), Collegiate Peaks - July 14 - August 5, 2002 - Partial and Full Scholarships Available based on Financial Need, Open Enrollment Students Age 16 And Up, Inquire about Course Number CCM208/CCM212 One Group of all Deaf and Hard of Hearing Students to be Instructed in PSE/ASL by one Deaf and One Hearing Instructor

Teacher Practicum for Deaf and Signing Individuals in Leadville, Colorado, - July 22 - 31, 2002 - The goals of the Teacher Practicum are as follows:

- 1) Provide an overview of the philosophy of experiential education as practiced by Outward Bound.
- 2) Provide an introduction to the universal and wilderness elements of adventure Education
 - Universal elements include: problem solving, initiatives and trust building activities.
 - Wilderness elements include: rock climbing and rappelling, back country travel and navigation, wilderness expedition, river running, peak climb, and solo
- 1) Provide an introduction to environmental education
- 2) Improve the professional practice of teaching through skills development and utilizing new methods:
 - Practice sequencing, selecting, designing, and presenting initiatives appropriate to the classroom;
 - Understand learning styles
- 1) Increase personal enjoyment of teaching through the celebration of being an adult learner and through learning how to create a "community of learners" within the school.
- 6) Have an opportunity to network with professionals on the topic of teaching.
- 7) Experience personal renewal, re-examine attitudes and improve self-esteem.

CONTACT: Colorado Outward Bound School (COBS)
Sian Hauver, Program Director
945 Pennsylvania Street, Denver, Colorado 80203
888-837-5211 or sian@coobs.edu

Please feel free to Email me or phone (970) 641-3875 v/tty with any questions I might help answer.

Sincerely, Karen Immerso, kimmerse@hotmail.com. Suzanne Bono has a 2002 - 2003 catalog of the COBS Program. If you are interested in reading the catalog, feel free to stop by her classroom - H.S. #205.

CODA Scholarship - There is a scholarship for CODA anywhere in USA. There will be 2 available for \$2000.00 each for 2002-2003. Applicants must be the hearing son or daughter of deaf parents. Must submit essays describing the applicant's CODA experience and how it has shaped the Coda as an individual. The essay should include a description of future career aspirations. Each essay will be judged for organization, content, creativity, and a sense of purpose. Deadline for submission; all applications must be completed and postmarked by May 6, 2002. The Scholarship winners' essays will be published in the CODA Connection, the organization's newsletter. For more information and/or Applications can be obtained from:

Dr. Robert Hoffmeister, Chair
CODA Scholarship Committee
Programs in Deaf Studies
605 Commonwealth Avenue
Boston University
Boston, MA 02215
(617) 353-3205 v/tty

SRC Duty

HS Lunch - Darin Turner

Staff Working Off Campus

- Deb Liebrich will be off campus attending a First Steps meeting in Anderson, Indiana from 8:00 -11:00 AM.
- Ruth Asher-Lynch is attending a workshop.

Staff Absences

Preschool	Pat Collins (Kim Galagan will sub.) Kelli Jo Hancock Connie Jones-McLean (Leaving at 12:00) James Carr (Beth Beyke will sub.)
Elementary	
Middle School	
High School	David Catt (Scott Miller will sub this afternoon.)
Principal's Office	Laura Kesterke (Ted Myhre will sub.) Brian Bippus
Outreach	Donna Stutler
BSU	

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Tuesday, February 12, 2002

Today's Activities

9:00	L. Strohl	Assess
10:00	B. Huser	ACR3
1:00	M. Holsinger	ACR
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2:30	J. Holsinger	ACR
3:00	J. Valadez	HE
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February 15	Classes Dismiss at 12:30
February 18	School Closed
February 19	MS Girls Basketball at Emmaus (4:30/5:45)
	MS Wrestling with Lincoln (4:45)
	HS Boys Basketball with Kokomo (6:00/7:30)
February 21	MS Swimming with Heritage (4:30)
February 22-23	MS Girls Basketball at North Carolina Invitational
March 21 - 24	Midwest Regional Academic Bowl at ISD

Today's Menu

Lunch

Cheeseburger
Cheese Manicotti*
French Fries
Cookies

Dinner

Chicken Pot Pie
Seasoned Peas
Cottage Cheese
Peaches

Breakfast

Grape Juice
Cereal
Scrambled Eggs
Ham

Announcements

Teacher's Credit Union Representative - Teacher's Credit Union Representatives will be here on Tuesday, February 19, 2002, from 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. and March 13, 2002, from 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. to speak with staff that has money sent to the TCU for deposit. They will be available to discuss changes that are taking place at the end of February with the deposits to TCU. They will be here to answer questions and assist with any problems our TCU members may have.

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IT'S GIRL SCOUT COOKIE TIME! - Once again ISD Troop 299 is selling cookies. This year we have two new varieties of cookies. There is the OLE' OLE' cookie which is a bite-sized vanilla cookies with pecan chips and coconut covered with powdered sugar and the ALL ABOUT, a shortbread cookie with a rich fudge coating on the bottom. We also have all of your old favorites, THIN MINTS, SAMOAS, DO-SI-DOS, TAGALONGS, TREFOILS, and ALOHA CHIPS. Yum, Yum! The cost is still \$3.00 per box and delivery is February 15, 2002. There are order forms located throughout campus. If you do not see an order form, please e-mail Kathy Hudson at KHudson@isfd.state.in.us or call ext. 412. Thanks for your support!

Nick Curtin's Twin Tower Picture Shirt & Sweatshirt + Poster - It's not too late to get your own t-shirt, sweatshirt and poster of Nick's design. Pam Lewis is selling t-shirts sizes in youth S (6-8), M (10-12), L (14-16) for \$8.00, Adult S, M, L, XL for \$10.00, and XXL for \$12.00. You can place orders for XXXL \$13.00, XXXXL for \$16.00, and XXXXXL for \$18.50. Sweatshirts will also be available through an order form at youth sizes for \$13.00; adult sizes for \$15.00, XXL for \$18.00, XXXL for \$20.00 and XXXXL for \$23.50. Checks are to be made out to Indiana School for the Deaf - H account. All profits will be divided between the Red Cross Relief Fund, the Indiana School for the Deaf, and a scholarship fund for Nick's college education.

Nick's artwork has been spread all over the world on the Internet. His artwork and article from the Indianapolis newspaper are shown in the Germany, Japan, and Mexico websites. It is also shown in the Youthnoise, a youth teenager's website. Apparently there are countless websites that shows Nick's artwork.

Again, I want to thank all who has spread his artwork and article. It really does inspire everybody in the world now. It also mentioned about Nick being Deaf and a student at ISD. I believe that this school's reputation has been soared to stardom. Thanks to you all for your wonderful support! - Scotty Zwicker.

Submitted by Scotty Zwicker

Published on Indianapolis Star, February 8, 2002

Art can help relieve stress in times of emotional crisis

By Tania Garcia De Rosier
Albany Times Union

ALBANY, N.Y.- People turn to art for many reasons. For some, it's nourishment for the senses. The soul. For others, it's entertainment. Powerful enough to elicit laughs or conjure tears.

But what about art's ability to help one work through issues. Express emotions or simply relax?

Taking time to engage in the arts- whether it's taking a painting class or listening to classical music for 10 minutes each day- can be among the healthiest things we do for ourselves, experts say.

"The arts can help replenish our energy so we can respond to the concerns in our lives." Said Geoffrey Scott-Alexander, an expressive arts therapist in Albany and founder of Glass Lake Studio, an arts therapy-training institute.

Stress, as defined by Scott-Alexander, is the depletion of one's spiritual, emotional and physical energy. It can strike anyone, especially in a competitive society.

Our defense: Scott-Alexander calls it "reducing the noise level."

It can be gentle and passive, such as listening to music, reading, poetry or visiting a museum, or it can be more expressive, like dancing, drumming or painting.

Others laud art's ability to help suspend reality or shift one's concentration from daily concerns to the process of creating. And writing, drawing, or taking an art class can be a creative way of exploring the inner self.

Denise Whalen, an occupational therapist at St. Peter's Hospital in Albany, first experienced the power of art as a teen, after her mother died. She began writing fiction to work through her pain.

As a therapist, Whalen has used writing and drawing exercises to help her own patients.

"Painting is meditative for me." She said. "I try to be aware of what I bring to the painting. It's a way to get to know myself."

Opportunities

International Dyslexia Association Conference – The International Dyslexia Association 18th Annual Conference will be March 1 and 2, 2002 at the Indianapolis Colts Complex and 91st Street Christian Church in Indianapolis. If interested, contact Glenda Zmijewski for registration forms.

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Monday, February 11, 2002

Today's Activities

8:15	J. Cureton	CC
8:30	J. Hall	ACR
10:00	W. Stewart	earmold
10:00	T. Finch	CC3
11:30	J. Smith	CC3
1:00	P. Gately	ACR2
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Chicken Fricassee*
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Brussel Sprouts
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Spinach
Applesauce

Breakfast

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Cereal
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Friends don't keep score. – Claude Westall Ray

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their talents and confidence have
grown!

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Baked Chicken
Stuffed Cabbage Roll*
Sweet Potatoes
Green Beans
Corn Bread
Apple Pie & Ice Cream
Fruit Juice Bar*

Dinner

Meatloaf
Potato Wedges
Asparagus
Pears

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Apple Juice
Cereal
Cheese Omelet
Bacon
Bagel

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ISD Daily News

Having a sharp tongue can cut your throat.

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8:30	J. Glossinger
10:00	E. Rippe
	C. Buchanan- Schwann
10:15	HS & MS Activity Period in the Auditorium (Dr. Karen Kirk, Director of the DeVault Research Center, on cochlear implants)
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VICTORY!!

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February 27-28	7 th & 8 th grade Girls Basketball in the Dragon Classic at St. Rita
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March 5	MS Wrestling at Park Tudor (4:30)
March 6	HS Class Meetings (9:40)
	MS Swimming at Raymond Park (5:00)
March 7	Beech Grove Tourney for MS Wrestling (5:00)
March 8	End of the Third Quarter and Parent-teacher Conferences
March 16	State-wide parent Workshop - Professionals and Parents Working with School Age Children (8:30 - 4:00)
March 21 - 24	Midwest Regional Academic Bowl at ISD

Today's Menu

Lunch

Deli Turkey & Cheese
Stuffed Green Pepper*
French Fries
Pudding

Dinner

Fish Nuggets
Macaroni & Cheese
Spinach
Pears

Breakfast

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Cereal
Fried Eggs
Sausage

Announcements

Budget Information and Press Release - Superintendent Stailey's letter to parents, staff, school board members and the community explaining Budget Redcuts for 2003 is attached to today's Daily Bulletin along with Governor O'Bannon's the Press Release detailing the state-wide cuts.

Middle School Newsletter - You will find the most recent issue of the Middle School Newsletter at the end of today's Daily Bulletin.

Upcoming Activity Periods for MS & HS

Wed. Feb. 20

MS & HS - Dr. Karen Kirk, Director of the DeVault Research Center,. This center is doing cochlear implants at Riley Children's Hospital in Indianapolis. She will discuss implants - what they can and cannot do.

Wed. Feb. 27

HS - Open
MS - Open

Wed.	March 20	TOR/Student Quarter Goals & R.C. Discussion	Classrooms
Wed.	March 27	HS - Open MS - Open	
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Wed.	April 24	HS - Open MS - Open	
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Wed.	May 15	Athletic Call-Out for Fall '02 Sports	

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Nick's artwork has been spread all over the world on the Internet. His artwork and article from the Indianapolis newspaper are shown in the Germany, Japan, and Mexico websites. It is also shown in the Youthnoise, a youth teenager's website. Apparently there are countless websites that shows Nick's artwork.

Again, I want to thank all who has spread his artwork and article. It really does inspire everybody in the world now. It also mentioned about Nick being Deaf and a student at ISD. I believe that this school's reputation has been soared to stardom. Thanks to you all for your wonderful support! – Scotty Zwicker.

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Middle School News

February 15, 2002

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IMPORTANT DATES

February 18*-No School

February 24* PTCO Board Meeting

Exchange City

On February 4, the entire Middle School went to Exchange City, a simulation activity in which students were given various business roles. While some students were in city government, acting as the mayor or judge, others provided banking services, produced newspapers, owned businesses, delivered mail, and manufactured items for sale.

MULTI-SERVICE CENTER

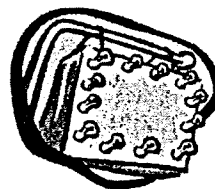


At Exchange City, I was an engineer at the Multi-Service Center. I enjoyed working, but it was a lot of responsibility.

I had to check the meters at each shop to see how much electricity they were using. After I checked the meter, we sent out bills. Our shop also gave paychecks to the workers at Exchange City. It was fun, but I wonder if the world will be like that when I am an adult.

Drew Hawkins

SIGN SHOP



I had fun at Exchange City. I was the owner of the Sign Shop. I had another challenge because we didn't have an accountant, so that was my responsibility, too. Our store made signs for the other shops. Many people bought things in my shop.

I received the Good Citizenship Award for being patient with people and for working well with my employees. I am really glad that we had that experience.

Justine Jeter

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 After school - Beth Fields


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- ❖ Jeff King will attend a Case Conference all morning, and Lane Grover will sub for him.
- ❖ Glenda Zmijewski will be at IPS district office this afternoon starting at 2:00 pm.

Technology Center Bulletin

- Missed Last Month ISDTV Shows or Supt's Meeting in Dec.?
- Want to Watch ISD's 19th Star Public Relations Tapes?

You can watch various video shows by clicking this icon on PC



ISDTV Guide

Staff Absences

Preschool	Pat Collins (Kim Galagan will sub.)
Elementary	
Middle School	
High School	Dave Catt (Scott Miller will sub.)
	Gary Nash
	Steve Rifner
	Joan Ikeda
	Tracy Graves
Principal's Office	Laura Kesterke (Ted Myhre will sub.)
Outreach	Louise Fitzpatrick
BSU	Kjari Nay

SNACK SHOP



I was happy to participate in the Exchange City day. It was a good experience for me. We prepared for it at school before February 4th.

I worked as a waitress and served many people. I asked people what they wanted and then brought food to them. I was very nice to people and focused on my job. I also helped make popcorn. I enjoyed my experience.

Tahnee Brink

SPORTS SHOP



I had fun at Exchange City. I was the owner of the Sports Shop. I had many different responsibilities. I had a meeting with the workers in my store, signed checks, and made nice things to sell. Many people bought from our shop.

I really enjoyed working. The experience was good for the future.

ZuZana Duran

MULTI-SERVICE CENTER

Exchange City is the place where I had my job. I worked at the Multi-Service Center. I worked on the payroll by using the computer.

When I finished, it was lunchtime. We went to the Snack Shop and bought some food. I had a peanut butter and jelly sandwich and juice. After lunch, we went to many different stores. I decided to buy some things.

Then it was time to leave. I had fun going to Exchange City.

Chelsea Miller

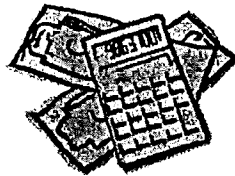


ACCOUNTANTS at EXCHANGE CITY

I worked as the accountant in the Multi-Cultural Shop. Our shop had five people. When we opened our shop, I had to write checks to the Bank and Sign Shop. It was busy, and I had to be sure I wrote everything down in the record book.

We made lots of things to sell. I enjoyed making necklaces with beads, teepees, and key chains. Everyone came to shop and suddenly, we were sold out!

Chelsea Nemer



February 4, 2002, I felt excited because I wanted to go to a real job. I finished learning for 3 weeks about how to deposit money and write checks.

My business was the Distribution Center. My job was accountant. My work was very hard, and I was so busy. I wrote in the book about our business money. I deposited my job's money in the bank. I felt I couldn't stop working. I worked so much. We went to lunch too, but this was a short time.

My dream for my job will not be the same as this work. I want to fix computers for my future job. Thank you school for teaching me how to work in the world.

Ruan du Plessis



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February 18, 2002

TO: ISD School Board Members
ISD Parents and Stakeholders
ISD Employees

FROM: George M. Stailey, Superintendent

SUBJECT: Budget Reduction Fiscal Year 2003 (July 1, 02 to June 30, 03)

As many of you know, the State of Indiana is in a recession. Indiana faces a large budget deficit by the end of the current biennium (June 31, 2003). The Indiana School for the Deaf (ISD) as well as all other state agencies joined the Governor in working towards a balanced budget by reducing their budgets by 7%. The Governor announced the 7% reduction in November and provided specifics regarding the reductions in a press conference today.

This year (fiscal year 2002), the ISD Administrative Team, with the support of the ISD School Board, analyzed its spending and developed efficiencies that would not impact regular programs and services for students enrolled at the ISD. The Administrative Team successfully has accomplished this throughout fiscal year 2002 to meet the 7% reduction. The Administrative Team will continue to find efficiencies for fiscal year 2003, so that regular programs and services for students are not lessened or eliminated.

The 7% reduction for fiscal year 2002 was \$1,293,724 and the reduction for fiscal year 2003 will be the same. The Administrative Team is confident that it can meet the reduction again and provide quality services for Deaf and Hard of Hearing students at the ISD.

The Administrative Team is always receptive to ideas for efficiencies and would be pleased to consider any ideas that you wish to share. Should you have any ideas to share or questions regarding the above information, please feel free to contact me at 317-924-8400 TTY/Voice or via email at gstailey@isfd.state.in.us.

Thank you for your support and understanding in this matter.

Enclosure – Governor O'Bannon's Press Release

The Indiana School for the Deaf Community promotes academic and social excellence for Deaf and Hard of Hearing students through a Bilingual-Bicultural environment.



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Monday, Feb. 18,

O'Bannon announces painful budget cuts necessitated by national recession

Governor Frank O'Bannon today announced details of the latest round of state spending cuts that will reach \$782 million and help to balance the state's budget.

This round of cuts – \$109 million worth – will change the way Indiana delivers some services and may even cause some to deteriorate, the governor said. But the recession has taken such a toll on Indiana that, to balance the budget, several drastic steps – including these cuts – are needed, he said.

"I don't want to make these cuts. I take no joy in reducing the services we've worked so hard to provide to Hoosiers," O'Bannon said. "But I was elected to lead this state in good times and in bad, and I must opt for fiscal integrity over quick, politically popular fixes."

The cuts go into effect July 1, the beginning of fiscal 2003. Among other things, the governor ordered:

- Closure of the transition unit at Westville Correctional Facility in LaPorte County, saving \$3.35 million.
- A slowdown in the expansion of rehabilitation services to disabled and elderly people, saving \$6.5 million. Expansion of CHOICE, a similar program that is paid entirely by the state, also will be slowed and some CHOICE clients will be shifted to the state-federal program, resulting in \$1.7 million in savings.
- A \$1 million cut in the budget for the Indiana Veterans' Home in West Lafayette.
- Elimination of vacant positions at the Indiana School for the Blind, resulting in savings of \$780,000.
- Closure of the Wishard Detention Unit in Indianapolis, saving \$500,000.
- Closure of the Wyandotte pool in Harrison County, Bass Lake Beach in Starke County, Potato Creek State Park Horseman's Camp in St. Joseph County, Spring Mill Twin Caves in Lawrence County and at least five campgrounds and elimination of cultural arts programs and special events in state parks, all toward saving \$8.25 million in the Department of Natural Resources.
- Elimination of 400 positions.

If the cuts were enacted today, about 40 state employees would lose their jobs. However, O'Bannon said he hoped to minimize that number through attrition and aggressive efforts by the State Personnel Department to shift employees whose jobs are being eliminated to crucial positions that must be filled.

The \$109 million in spending reductions are just part of what it will take to offset the deficit caused by the national recession. The governor's Balanced Budget Plan, announced in November, also calls for more cuts, reallocation of gaming and tobacco settlement revenues, use of some of the state's savings and increases in the cigarette and gaming taxes.

O'Bannon ordered the first phase of cuts last July – a 7 percent spending cut that, at the time, was intended to be a one-time reduction for the current fiscal year. It resulted in \$113 million saved by doing such things as postponing expenditures or leaving positions temporarily vacant.

But when the economy continued to deteriorate and the nation was thrust into recession, the governor subsequently ordered agencies to make the cuts permanent next fiscal year. That means *elimination* of about 400 positions and many planned purchases.

The latest elimination of jobs comes on top of O'Bannon's five-year effort to reduce the size of government. The state payroll already had been cut by 700 people when O'Bannon ordered a hiring freeze in September, resulting in a further reduction of 250 employees. Many state services and millions of pages of information are available via the Internet or through telecommunication.

Since the recession began, the governor has gone farther. To reach a total of \$782 million in cuts, he also has ordered:

- \$250 million in cuts or revenue enhancements in Medicaid, the health care program for the poor
- \$203 million in reversions – one-time cuts in the level of spending authorized by the legislature – in fiscal 2003
- \$15 million in savings by holding back raises from state employees that would have started in January
- \$48 million in cancelled construction projects
- \$44 million in other cuts in FY 03.

O'Bannon emphasized that these cuts must be made, whether or not other parts of his Balanced Budget Plan are passed. The governor has the authority to cut spending without legislative authority but he cannot unilaterally raise revenue – another crucial part of balancing the budget.

"These are painful cuts," O'Bannon said. "Some services may deteriorate. Some people may lose their jobs. Many Hoosiers will be affected in some way.

"Just imagine how deeply we will have to cut if the General Assembly fails to pass the voluntary tax increases I've requested."

The recession has taken a huge toll on Indiana, causing the state to take in a projected \$3.1 billion less over three fiscal years, 2001 through 2003, than

it would have taken in if the average growth of the previous decade – 5.25 percent – had continued. Instead, the state's revenue shrunk last fiscal year and is expected to do so again this fiscal year; growth in FY 03 is expected to be only 2.7 percent.

Because of that unexpectedly steep downturn, the state is projected to be \$1.3 billion in the red at the end of the biennium, June 30, 2003, if nothing is done. O'Bannon, however, will not allow that to happen and therefore ordered the \$782 million in cuts. And he has pledged to make even deeper cuts if the legislature does not address the budget crisis.

Even then, if spending reductions are enacted but no new revenue is generated, the state still will begin the next biennium with a billion-dollar budget deficit, he said.

O'Bannon said he was grateful that 51 members of the House voted to approve House Bill 1004, which addressed both the budget crisis and the need to restructure taxes so homeowners were protected from property tax hikes and the state's business environment would improve. But he said he is concerned that some other lawmakers appear unwilling to deal seriously with the budget crisis. Some have been quoted as saying that the governor should cut more services rather than ask for increases in the cigarette and gaming taxes.

"It's time for those who say we aren't cutting enough to be honest with the public and admit that they favor cutting school spending," O'Bannon said. "After we have cut \$782 million in spending in other areas, we will have to look to education spending if we need to cut more.

"I cannot understand the resistance to raising two minor, voluntary taxes for the monumentally important purpose of protecting our schools."

Reporters' contact: Mary Dieter or Andrew Stoner, 317-232-4578

ISD Daily News

If you want your dreams to come true, don't oversleep.

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Wednesday, February 21, 2002

Today's Activities

10:00	E. Caceres
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	L. Tingle
2:30	V. Tingle
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Italian Chicken Breast
Macaroni & Beef*
Mashed Potatoes & Gravy
Seasoned Peas
Jello

Dinner

Cheeseburger
Potato Planks
Cake

Breakfast

Orange Juice
Cereal
French Toast
Scrambled Eggs
Bacon

Announcements

Sports Update

Junior Varsity Boys Basketball – We won the final game of our basketball season beating Kokomo Christian, 47 to 18. Adam Brimmer and Blaze Pollard led our team with 10 points each. All of our players scored at least a basket. It was a team effort. Our final record is 4 and 11. Boys, keep practicing and be ready for next season! - Coach Thomas Perkins

Recycling News - Good News! SD Pacific Inc is interested purchasing any new or empty cartridges (any kind!) for a printer. Since our budget restrictions are very tight this year, please begin using new procedure immediately. When you request a new printer cartridge via PRAT ticket, you are required to send the Assistant Superintendent Office your empty cartridges to exchange for a new one (one for one). Thanks for your help in recycling and limiting our supply costs. – Andrew Metz

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Gallaudet Student to Appear in TV Show - Shoshannah Stern, a junior at Gallaudet University majoring in English, will be appearing as a guest star on an episode of "Off Centre," on Warner Bros., an unconventional buddy comedy program, on Sunday, March 3. This program airs at 9 p.m. eastern time. Check local listings for WB channels. The "Off Centre" cast includes "American Pie" and "American Pie Two" stars Eddie Kaye Thomas as Mike and John Cho as Chau. It also stars Sean Maguire as Euan, Lauren Stamile as Liz, and Jason George as Status. Shoshannah will play the role of Rebecca, a co-worker and friend of Liz and love interest of Euan. Shoshannah got a part on the show by a stroke of luck. Warner Bros. was searching for a deaf woman to play the role of Rebecca and was referred to Gallaudet's Theatre Arts Department by the National Theatre of the Deaf. WB then contacted Shoshannah with an audition notice and after the audition, she was signed for the role.

WE WANT TO MAKE YOUR DAY!

As part of the 2001-2002 Fish theme to "have fun while you work" and because "we want to make your day", Interpreting Services is hosting 15 minute chair massages for some staff. Chair massage utilizes a specially designed chair for a fully clothed massage that focuses on the back, neck and arms. It promotes stress reduction, relaxation and improves circulation.

When: Friday, March 1, 2002

Time: 10:00 – 1:00

Location: Interpreting Services Office, Main Bldg. Rm. #227

By who: Massage Therapist Colleen Steele

How: First come, First serve. Only 10 slots available!

1. Come to Interpreting Services scheduling office Rm. #229 ASAP
2. Sign a liability waiver
3. Sign up for one of these times: 10:00, 10:15, 10:30, 10:45, (Break), 11:15, 11:30, 11:45, (Break), 12:15, 12:30, 12:45.

Note: Donations will be accepted, though not necessary.

We will immediately send out an email message to everyone when all the appointment times are taken. They will go very quickly, so act fast.

We are hoping to have two more Chair Massage events. We're working with two massage schools in town, IUPUI and ICBM (Indiana College of Bodywork Modalities), to have their practicum students come out. They get their hours towards graduation and you get stress relief towards greater ease. We hope to have several students come out for a longer period of time, so if you miss it this time, watch for the next one.

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Lou Ott is attending a workshop – sub is Pat Cooper

Staff Absences

Preschool	Pat Collins – sub is Kim Galagan Mike Paulone – sub is Scott Miller
Elementary	Jennifer Holder Toni Wolfe (out this morning) sub is Linda Krieger
Middle School	Pat Pullum – sub is Lane Grover Bruce Peters
High School	
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Outreach	
BSU	

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VICTORY!!

Representative Tim Brown has dropped his drive to repeal the legislation establishing the Universal Newborn Hearing Screening! Thanks to Cindy Lawrence, ICASE members and Bill Dreibelbis - ICASE lobbyist-KWK, Joan McCormick-ISD School Board member, Commissioner of the Department of Health, and many others I'm sure I've missed and don't know about. – Judy Cass

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February 26th, 7:00 pm

Arc Bldg.

903 W. Main

Lebanon

For more information contact Brook Olson, ASLMOM@HOTMAIL.COM or Katrina Moody (765) 436-7631.

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Principal's Office	Gary Mowl
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ISD Daily News

Minds are like parachutes; they function only when open.

Volume 3, Issue

Monday, February 25, 2002

Today's Activities

10:00 C. Ernestes
1:00 B. Redman
A. Marquez
J. Jones
2:30 M. Camacho-Luna
B. Shaffer
3:00 A. Solomon

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Lunch

Pizza
Cabbage Roll*
Corn*
Ore Ida Smiles (Willard)
Salad
Nachos & Cheese*
Fruit Juice Bar*
Cookies

Dinner

Chili 3-Way
Cheese & Cracker
Salad
Pineapple

Breakfast

Orange Juice
Cereal
Poached Eggs
Bacon

Announcements

HS Students Visit NASA and the Aquatic Research Center – Teresa Huckleberry's High School science classes visited NASA's Johnson Space Center in Houston, Texas last week along with the Aquatic Research Center in Michigan City, Indiana without leaving ISD. How did they accomplish this? They participated in a live distance learning event with these two sites and Indian Creek High School on February 21, 2002. You can see some highlights of the event by visiting <http://www.deafhoosiers.com/sci/calypso/videoconference.html>.

Sports Update

MS Swimming – The MS Team had a swim meet against Heritage Christian. We lost to them. The score for the girls was 65 to 27, and the score for the boys was 75 to 7. Some of the swimmers did improve their times and even some of them broke MS records.

School records were:

- *Carly Robinson for 200Free for a first place
- *Molly Sachs for 100 Back
- *Zachary McIntosh for 200 and 400 Free

Swimmers who improved their times...

*Chelsea Nemer improved her time for 100 IM by 2 seconds.

*Molly Sachs improved her time for 50 Free by 4 seconds and 100 Back by ten seconds.

*Corey Burton improved his time for 100 Free by 6 seconds.

*Matthew Holsinger improved his time for 50 Free by 5 seconds.

*Zachary McIntosh improved his time for 200 Free by 12 seconds and 400 Free by 25 seconds.

Great job, swimmers! Our next meet is at North Putnam and Tri-West at North Putnam. - Coaches Caraboa, Graves & Fields

7th/8th Grade Girls Basketball - We traveled to North Carolina School for the Deaf (NCSD) last Thursday to participate in the 7th Annual Mid-Atlantic Junior Classic Basketball Tournament. We found the school campus to be very beautiful. There are mountains in clear view and the campus is on rolling hills all over the place. You will need to walk a lot to get around the campus.

Our first game was against Lake Drive School (LDS) which we also played against in the first round last year in Maryland. They beat us by 2 points last year. They came out 4th place, so we came in with focus and hunger to pay them back. We paid them back with an exclamation point by beating them 26-17. Amanda Krieger and Nukeitra Hayes scored 8 points each. Nukeitra grabbed 5 rebounds.

Our second game was against Maryland School for the Deaf (MSD). They came out as third place last year. The general community thought they were favored, but would be a close game. But we showed them who are best by beating them 33 - 18. We basically broke down their offense, and they simply could not handle our speedy defenders. Micaela Paulone and Amanda Krieger scored 13 and 8 points. Justine Jeter and Nukeitra grabbed 8 and 7 rebounds.

On Saturday, we had three contests: 2Ball, Knockout (Cutthroat), and Team Free Throw. Micaela and Bethany played 2Ball the best they could, but was not good enough to win the contest. Amanda and Justine played in the Knockout. After a while, it came down to just Amanda and a NC girl. Amanda shot and the ball went off to the left, and she fell down trying to grab the ball and rushed to the basket. Her ball went in the basket just half a second after NC's, and got knocked out. It was a close one. For the Team Free Throw, we shot nearly 33%, but were not good enough to win.

Entering the Championship game, and we were all excited, but we managed to stay focused and hungry to bring home the championship banner. For the third time, we basically shut down their offense with our excellent press play and steals. We blew them off 38 - 10, and showed the world we are simply the best team. Nukeitra scored 18 points. Justine and Nukeitra grabbed 7 and 6 rebounds. Bethany played very, very well and drew a lot of attention on herself. Amanda, Micaela, and Nukeitra were elected into the All-Tournament team.

Highlights: We are 3-0 in the tournament. We had to stop our full-court press because we exceeded 15 points over all three teams often. For all three games we scored 97 points over opponents' 45 points.

We all had great time. NCSD hospitality and tournament was simply great. We all will have memories for the rest of our lives! - Coach Jay Krieger

Talent Show Performing Dates -

Elementary	Monday, March 4, 9:00 a.m. (Performers/mentors in the Auditorium at 8:00 a.m.)
MS	Monday, March 4, 12:15 p.m. (performers/mentors in the Auditorium at 11:30 a.m. performers eat lunch at 11:00 while other students eat at 11:30)
HS	Tuesday, March 5, 9:00 a.m. (Performers/mentors in the Auditorium at 8:00 a.m.)
Finale	Thursday, March 7 9:00 a.m. (Performers/mentors in the Auditorium at 8:00 a.m.)
Show of Champions	Thursday, March 7, 7:00 p.m. Open to the public

Supervising Teachers will have to coordinate students being dismissed to the Auditorium and covering mentors classes.

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Nick Curtin's Twin Tower Picture Shirt & Sweatshirt + Poster - It's not too late to get your own t-shirt, sweatshirt and poster of Nick's design. Pam Lewis is selling t-shirts sizes in youth S (6-8), M (10-12), L (14-16) for \$8.00, Adult S, M, L, XL for \$10.00, and XXL for \$12.00. You can place orders for XXXL \$13.00, XXXXL for \$16.00, and XXXXXL for \$18.50. Sweatshirts will also be available through an order form at youth sizes for \$13.00; adult sizes for \$15.00, XXL for \$18.00, XXXL for \$20.00 and XXXXL for 23.50. Checks are to be made out to Indiana School for the Deaf – H account. All profits will be divided between the Red Cross Relief Fund, the Indiana School for the Deaf, and a scholarship fund for Nick's college education.

Opportunities

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March 1, 2 & 3, 2002

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1917 E. 46th Street Indianapolis, IN 46205 TTY (317) 257-0942

Admission:

Schedule:

Registration.....	\$10.00
Friday Games.....	\$10.00
Saturday Games.....	\$10.00
Sunday Games.....	\$20.00
Ballroom.....	\$25.00
Program Book.....	\$ 5.00
Total.....	\$80.00

Combo at Door.....\$50.00
Children w/Parent(s).....

Friday, March 1, 2002
Registration (ISD).....8AM
Delegate Meeting (ISD)...10AM
First Round Games.....5PM

Saturday, March 2, 2002
Registration (ISD).....7AM
2nd Round Games.....8AM
Ballroom.....8PM

Combo purchase..... \$15.00
Senior Citizen.....\$50.00
College Student w/ID.....\$50.00
Coach/Player/Delegate.....\$17.00

All games will be at
Indiana School for the Deaf
1200 E. 42nd Street
Indianapolis, IN 46205

More Information:

Sharon K. Wooten
IN 46250

E-Mail: SharonK948@aol.com

Steven Stultz

E-mail: FordStu@aol.com

Registration:

Payable to: GIDC-CAAD 2002

Mail to: Steven Stultz

6008 Hollister Drive, Speedway, IN 46224

Sunday, March 3, 2002

Registration (ISD).....8:30AM

3rd Round Games.....9:30AM

Consolations Games.....Noon

Champion Game.....1:30PM

Award Presentations

DUNK/THREE Points...TBA

Hotel Information:

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ISD Daily News

The smallest good deed is better than the grandest intention.

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Friday, February 22, 2002

Today's Activities

8:30	J. Coultas
10:00	J. Chen
1:00	Z. McIntosh
2:30	N. Curtin
	MS Girls Basketball at North Carolina Invitational

Today's Daily Bulletin

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Cheese Manicotti*
Corn
Raspberry Sherbet

Announcements

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Request from the Interpreters - Since all of the staff interpreters will be busy with the Hands Alive Talent Show on March 4 (All Day) and March 5 (Morning Only), please try not to request interpreters during those times. Thanks for your cooperation in this matter - Amy

ISD PARENTS & STAFF Regarding Community Resources - We would like for ISD parents and staff to be aware of the current information and the new additions to the Medicaid Waiver, Autism Waiver, and the Support Services Waiver. Please contact Cathy Pardee at extension 295 or Pam Burchett at extension 275 for further information and for the appropriate contact person's name and telephone number.

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Attention AUL Plan Enrollees - Earl Cornelius, who has served us all so well, will be slowing down after 40 years. We are looking for someone to assist Earl and eventually take over for him. If you know someone who can sign, is hearing, and wants a career in financial services, please contact me at rhuber@thetoweragency.com. We are interviewing people now and will announce a new agent soon. If Earl is not available, please use the e-mail address referenced above for service. Thanks for your patience. Send your cards and letters to Earl at: Earl Cornelius, 7113 Topp Creek Court, Indianapolis, IN 46214.

Gallaudet Student to Appear in TV Show - Shoshannah Stern, a junior at Gallaudet University majoring in English, will be appearing as a guest star on an episode of "Off Centre," on Warner Bros., an unconventional buddy comedy program, on Sunday, March 3. This program airs at 9 p.m. eastern time. Check local listings for WB channels. The "Off Centre" cast includes "American Pie" and "American Pie Two" stars Eddie Kaye Thomas as Mike and John Cho as Chau. It also stars Sean Maguire as Euan, Lauren Stamile as Liz, and Jason George as Status. Shoshannah will play the role of Rebecca, a co-worker and friend of Liz and love interest of Euan. Shoshannah got a part on the show by a stroke of luck. Warner Bros. was searching for a deaf woman to play the role of Rebecca and was referred to Gallaudet's Theatre Arts Department by the National Theatre of the Deaf. WB then contacted Shoshannah with an audition notice and after the audition, she was signed for the role.

Opportunities

MAKE YOUR DAY - As part of the 2001-2002 Fish theme to "Have Fun While You Work" and because "We want to make your day", Interpreting Services is hosting 15 minute chair massages for a limited number of staff. Chair massage utilizes a specially designed chair for a fully clothed massage that focuses on the back, neck and arms. It promotes stress reduction, relaxation and improves circulation.

When: Friday, March 1, 2002

Time: 10:00 – 1:00

Location: Interpreting Services Office, Main Bldg. Rm. #227

By Whom: Massage Therapist Colleen Steele

*All of the spaces are reserved.
The next opportunity hopefully
will be soon.*

How: First Come, First Served. Only 10 slots available!

1. Come to Interpreting Services scheduling office Rm. #229 ASAP
2. Sign a liability waiver
3. Sign up for one of these times: 10:00, 10:15, 10:30, 10:45, (Break), 11:15, 11:30, 11:45, (Break), 12:15, 12:30, 12:45.

Note: Donations will be accepted, though not necessary. We will immediately send out an email message to everyone when all the appointment times are taken. They will go very quickly, so act fast. We hope to have two more Chair Massage events. We're working with two massage schools in town, IUPUI and ICBM (Indiana College of Bodywork Modalities), to have their practicum students come out. They earn

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- ❖ Glenda Zmijewski will be off campus from 1:00 to 3:00.

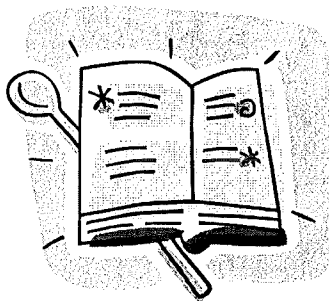
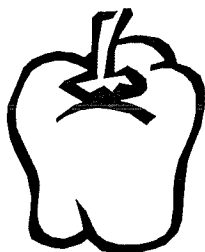
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Dear Staff,

The Class of 2003 still has cookbooks left! Wouldn't you like to buy one or more? It's on sale for **\$5.00**. It has 232 pages of delicious variety of recipes you will want to try something new! This fundraising is for our educational senior trip next year and we would appreciate very much if you show your support by ordering one or more!

You may send a check payable to Class of 2003 to Aimee Bippus at this address, 1200 East 42nd Street, Indianapolis, IN 46205. Should you have any questions, please call 317-920-6256 TTY only. As always, thank you for your generous support in the past!



ORDER FORM FOR *THE WORLD CLASS COOKBOOK*

Name _____

Address _____

Cost: \$5.00 each Number of cookbooks _____ x \$5.00 = _____

Total: _____

Make checks payable to the Class of 2003

* I want the cookbook(s) sent home with _____.

ISD Daily News

Ideas won't work unless YOU do.

Volume 3, Issue 125

Tuesday, February 26, 2002

Today's Activities

9:00	C. White
10:00	V. Watkins
1:00	J. Jones
2:30	M. Camacho-Luna C. Shaffer
3:00	A. Solomon
4:30	MS Girls Basketball with Sycamore (4:30/5:45) HS Boys Basketball Sectionals

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Lunch

Fish Sticks
Stuffed Green Peppers*
Macaroni & Cheese
Peas
English Toffee Ice Cream Bar

Dinner

Sweet & Sour Pork
Seasoned Rice
Green Beans
Peaches

Breakfast

Grape Juice
Cereal
Fried Eggs
Bacon

Announcements

Sports Update

HS Swimming - There was a swim meet on February 16. The HS boys got in for 400 free and first alternate for 200 free relay. When we got there on Saturday afternoon, we found out that HS boys could swim 200 Free Relay. They came in 11th place out of twelve teams. Their time was 1:56.2. It was their best time of the season. The boys swam 400 Free Relay. They came in 10th place out of eleven places. Their time was 4:27.8. It is a new school record for HS boys. The HS Boys Swimming season is over until next year. We hope to see you guys again next year! It was a great year! - Coaches Caraboa, Graves and Field

Activity Period on Wednesday, February 27 - There will be an Activity Period this coming Wednesday for the Middle School Department. Mr. Bippus and Mr. Krieger will coordinate student recognition of the 7/8th Grade Girls Basketball Team. The girls recently won the 7th Annual Mid Atlantic Tournament hosted by the North Carolina School for the Deaf. The Middle School Department will meet in the Library

at 10:15 - 11:00 a.m. Mr. Krieger will have a media presentation along with the recognition. High School students will go to their TOR rooms during the Activity Period. – Principal Kovatch

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February 26th, 7:00 pm

Arc Bldg.

903 W. Main

Lebanon

For more information contact Brook Olson. ASLMOM@HOTMAIL.COM or Katrina Moody (765) 436-7631.

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Pat Collins (Kim Galagan will sub.)

Kelli Jo Hancock (Janis Tester will sub.)

Curtis Sigafoose (Late)

Elementary

Brenda Alkhabit (Jenny Cooper will sub.)

Monica Byrum

David Geeslin

Middle School

Cindy Squire

High School

Rachele Powers (Lane Grover will sub.)

Darin Turner

ISD Daily News

One thing you can't recycle is wasted time.

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Thursday, February 28, 2002

Today's Activities

8:30	J. Hill
	C. Bridges
9:00	R. Frye
10:00	N. Phillips
	S. Bignell
1:00	O. Davis
	L. Wood
3:30	C. Shaffer
4:45	MS Wrestling with New Augusta
6:00	Middle School Swimming at North Putnam with North Putnam and Tri-West

Upcoming Activities

March 4	Elementary Talent Show in the Auditorium at 9:00 (Performers & mentors arrive at 8:00)
	Middle School Talent Show in the Auditorium at 12:15 (Performers & mentors arrive at 11:30)
	IISL Tournament for MS Girls Basketball at Park Tudor (5:45)
March 5	High School Talent Show in the Auditorium at 9:00 (Performers & mentors arrive at 8:00)
	MS Wrestling at Park Tudor (4:30)
March 6	HS Class Meetings (9:40)
	MS Swimming at Raymond Park (5:00)
March 7	Finale Talent Show in the Auditorium at 9:00 (Performers & mentors arrive at 8:00)
	Beech Grove Tourney for MS Wrestling (5:00)
	Show of Champions Talent Show in the Auditorium at 7:00 (Open to the Public)
March 8	End of the Third Quarter and Parent-teacher Conferences
March 20	MS & HS Activity Period for TOR/Student Quarter Goals & R.C.- Classroom Discussion
March 21 - 24	Midwest Regional Academic Bowl at ISD

Today's Menu

Lunch

Western Dinner
Ham & Cheese Hot Pockets*
Broccoli
Cottage Cheese
Soft Pretzel
Jello

Dinner

Cube Steak
Mashed Potatoes
Spinach
Fruit Cocktail

Breakfast

Orange Juice
Cereal
Waffles
Scrambled Eggs
Sausage

Announcements

Sports Update

7th & 8th Grade Girls Basketball – On Tuesday we played against Syacmore in the KRC. We kept the game close being behind as low as 3 points but couldn't take the game. We lost 19-28.

We went to St. Richards to play in their annual Dragons Classic yesterday. In the first half we thought we played so well having the game in control with 22-14, but in the second half we scored only 3 points and the game slipped away. We lost 25-32. Our current record is now 9-10. Our next game will be at Park Tudor next Monday at 5:45 for the first round game of the IISL tournament. If we lose that wraps up our season. If we win, we will advance and play the next day. - Coach Jay Krieger

Book Bags - Have you noticed the stylish bags that are being carried around by staff members. These bags were part of a fundraiser for the Class of 2004. They are an off-white bag with black trim. Embroidered on the front of the bag is the ISD emblem from the Brown Cafeteria floor. Some of the staff ordered them with their name embroidered on the bag. We have about thirty bags left. If you would like to place an order, please email me at DASutler@isfd.state.in.us. Thank you for your continued support of the class of 2004.

Girl Scout Cookies Have Arrived! - Please be ready to pay for your cookies when they are delivered. It is preferred you pay in cash. If you must write a check, make it payable to HOOSIER CAPITAL GIRL SCOUTS. We ordered extra cookies for those who forgot to order or did not order enough. If you would like to order cookies, please call Kathy at ext. 412 TTY or e-mail her at Khudson@isfd.state.in.us. Thanks for your support.

ISD Parents and Staff Regarding Community Resources - We would like for ISD parents and staff to be aware of the current information and the new additions to the Medicaid Waiver, Autism Waiver, and the Support Services Waiver. For further information and for the appropriate contact person's name and telephone number, please contact Cathy Pardee at ext. 295 or Pam Burchett at ext. 275.

Americorp - Did you know that we have ten Americorp volunteers staying on our campus? They arrived from Denver on February 4th. They will be here until the last week of March. They are working at ISD one day a week and working for the IRS the other four days. On March 13th we will have all ten volunteers working at ISD. I am looking for work for them to do. If you have a large project that needs to be completed, please email me at DASTutler@isfd.state.in.us. One of the project that has already been assigned to them is to remove the one set of bleachers in the KRC. Andrew Metz will have a couple of them doing equipment inventory. If you have similar projects, please contact me as soon as possible. The Americorp volunteers are working on a presentation for the ISD TV. If you see one of these volunteers, please give them a huge ISD welcome.

BSU Overnight - The BSU participants will be hosting an overnight experience for perspective BSU participants for 2002-2003 school year. They will arrive on Thursday, February 28th at 4:30 and it will conclude on Friday, March 1st at 1:00. Their schedule is as follows:

Thursday, February 28th

4:30-5:00 Arrival and check-in
5:00-6:00 Dinner in Brown Café
6:15-8:00 Icebreakers, Questions and Answer time
8:15-9:00 Socializing with students in KRC

Friday, March 1st

7:30 Breakfast in the pod
8:00-9:00 Classroom visitation
9:15-9:45 Presentation by Bob Kovatch
9:45-10:30 Tours with Donna Stutler
10:45-11:45 Bi-Bi Discussion with Diane Jones
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Mike Paulone (Late)
Carla Meyer (Late)

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Linda Cooper (Jenny Cooper will sub.)
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Guy Volmar (Late)
Kim Johnson (Coming in at 11:00)
Jenni Holder

Middle School

Pamela Gatto (Linda Krieger will sub until 1:30.)

High School

Tracy Graves (Late)
Carol Morgan
Mary Power (Late)
Rocky Murray (Late)

Principal's Office

Outreach

Joyce Connor

BSU

